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CONSPIRACY SHOWN BY HON. GEO. GRAHAM

Attempt to Injure Asquith
Government and Pull Con-
servatives Out of Dilemma

STATEMENT MADE BY NORTON GRIFFITHS

Members of Government See-
ing Things, but Hesitant
on Being Heard.

BRITISH REQUEST WAS ON LAURIER'S POLICY

Ottawa, March 8.—Hon. George P. Graham continued the naval bill debate in the House of Commons in the evening. He stated that the present policy was the result of a double-barreled conspiracy to injure the Asquith government and to get the present Conservative government of Canada out of the dilemma with their Nationalist colleagues. In March, 1912, Norton Griffiths, after a visit to Canada, speaking in the British House, said that the Canadian people were prepared to go quite a distance, even to the extent of conferring three dreadnoughts. It was a conspiracy, they were to give three dreadnoughts to show that the Asquith government was not meeting its full duty. "Mr. Graham went on to say that if the heads of the government could see the German people at home there would be no time for this emergency nightmare."

"The opposition seems to be having a nightmare," put in Mr. Lancaster. "Well, I admit that we are seeing things of late," retorted Mr. Graham, "but we don't hear much about them."

Major Sharp: "Oh, oh." Mr. Graham: "The honorable gentleman from North Ontario says 'Oh, oh,' but he is not in favor of the naval policy. He favors a Canadian navy."

Major Sharp: "I am not in favor of the policy as a permanent policy."

Mr. Graham: "But you are in favor of a Canadian navy?"

Mr. Sharp: "Well, maybe, I am."

"I am surprised," said Mr. Graham, "that my honorable friend is in favor of a separatist navy."

Mr. Graham characterized the present policy as illegitimate of conception and untimely of birth.

"It is illegitimate of conception," he said, "because it arises out of an alliance between the Nationalists and the Conservatives. It is untimely of birth because it came into being before the memorandum on which it was to have been based was prepared in London or received here."

Mr. Crothers asked if a verbal agreement could not have been entered into between the Canadian ministers and the admiralty before a memorandum was prepared.

Mr. Graham said that the date of Mr. Monck's resignation, which was based on knowledge of the government's policy, was October 18, while the date of the memorandum was October 25.

"The honorable gentleman cannot get away from the fact that their policy was evolved before the memorandum was prepared," he said.

The accusation aroused the government benches and many rose confusedly to interrupt and deny Mr. Graham's statement. Mr. Crothers, Mr. Nickels and others objected to the argument.

"I am glad that I am succeeding in lubricating the stiff jaws of hon. members opposite. The captain drive me from the point I am making."

Mr. Graham quoted page 10, section 10, of the memorandum to show that the admiralty had not asked for three dreadnoughts. They had advocated a "certain number of ships."

That statement, said Mr. Graham, "does not differ in any essential degree from the admiralty's former suggestion of a Canadian navy. The admiralty's former suggestion said: 'Such aid should include, not three dreadnoughts, but a certain number of ships, and there was nothing to show that these ships should not be used as the head of two fleet units.'"

Mr. Graham quoted extensively from Mr. Borden's speeches in the House to show that the prime minister had abandoned all ideas of a Canadian navy and had joined himself and his party to a policy of centralization.

Mr. Lancaster, to prove that the Laurier naval act was contrary to the B. N. A. Act, read five clauses of both acts and made a short speech.

Mr. Graham said he was not impressed with Mr. Lancaster's ability as a constitutional lawyer. That he was not infallible had been demonstrated by his proposed amendment to the marriage act. He quoted from the militia act to show that it is not as wide in its scope as the naval act.

At midnight, Mr. Lapointe introduced an entire change of subject by raising the point of order that the House could not sit on Saturday without the consent of all the members or unless formal notice had been given.

Arthur Meighen combatted the idea. He said that the House was still engaged with the Monday discussion. He pointed out that frequently the Friday

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REPORTS REVIVED OF ASQUITH'S RETIREMENT FROM PREMIERSHIP



PREMIER ASQUITH

PHILIPPINE HOME RULE MAY FOLLOW

President Wilson Asked to Re-
member the Pledges of
Democratic Party

Washington, D. C., March 8.—Congratulations of the Philippine people to President Wilson were presented today by Manuel Queson, resident commissioner. Mr. Queson left with the president a telegram from Speaker Sergio Osmena of the Philippine assembly, expressing hope for Philippine independence and saying "To us your oath of office means the forthcoming fulfillment of the pledges of the Democratic party, reiterated in four successive platforms and sanctioned by the people of the United States in your election. The Filipinos confidently expect that during your administration a decisive step will be taken toward their freedom and independence."

SCOTT'S DEATH LAST ACT IN POLAR DRAMA

French Geographer Speaks on
Results to Come From
Discoveries Made

Paris, March 8.—Referring to the tragic end of Capt. Robert F. Scott on his recent voyage to the South Pole, M. Schrader, the eminent French geographer, expresses the opinion that the death of the English explorer is the last act in the drama of the polar point obsession, which has caused the loss of so many lives.

The discoveries of Peary, Amundsen and Scott have at last removed the imperative desire of scientists to find the poles. M. Schrader declares, and leave the way clear for a considerable and important task, the results of which will be reaching. This consists in establishing a chain of circum-polar observations, a vast system of scientific "monasteries," international in character.

The atmospheric and marine currents which circulate, winter and summer alike, round the pole perpetually mix water and air. The cold waters descend toward the south, carrying quantities of ice, and are continually replaced by masses of warmer water which come from the Atlantic. Above these ice fields, floating toward the south, hovers a layer of cold air ever falling on to the frozen mass beneath, as a heavy syrup drops and remains at the bottom of a glass of water. In their turn the sea breezes push and stir up this mass of cold air, lift it from its icy bed, and send it to cool America and Europe.

These cold masses of air, as soon as they come in contact with the tepid atmosphere of the Atlantic, condense the moisture, precipitate rain and brew tempests. Thus, by developing an accurate knowledge of the courses of the ice fields, by following them in their southward course and observing the phenomena of their slow fusion in the middle of the Atlantic, it would be possible to foretell, to a great extent, the force of the winds, the alternation and character of the seasons, and the likelihood of drought or wet. Warning against atmospheric dangers could be given, and there would be ample time to adopt such precautions as circumstances dictated.

Will See the Home Rule Bill
Through Before Taking
Definite Step

ONE YEAR MAY SEE LEADERSHIP CHANGE

London, March 8.—The report has again been revived that Mr. Asquith is preparing to resign the premiership and that before long he will be made a peer and become a member of the House of Lords. There is no doubt that he would like to resign and get out of the turmoil of politics, but it is just as certain that he will not give up, unless, of course, forced to do so, until the Home Rule Bill finally becomes law, which, except for accidents, it should do in May, 1914. Mr. Asquith has pledged himself to do his best to give Ireland self-government, and besides he is anxious that his name should be identified with the accomplishment of this measure as Mr. Gladstone's was with its advancement. Some of the proposals of the Radical members of his cabinet are not altogether to his liking, and latterly he has found it more and more difficult to curb some of them. So that when Home Rule becomes an accomplished fact, and the end of the present parliament affords the opportunity, it is expected that he will hand over the reins to some younger man.

EIGHT FOR GUILTY FOR DARROW

Jury Discharged in Los An-
geles Hearing on Disagree-
ment This Morning

DELIBERATED OVER THIRTY-EIGHT HOURS

Los Angeles, Cal., March 8.—After having been out for thirty-eight and one-half hours, the jury in the case of Clarence S. Darrow, on trial for alleged jury-bribery, reported at 11.35 o'clock this forenoon that they were unable to agree and Judge Conley discharged them. Counsel for the defence asked for an immediate retrial one week from Monday.

Deputy District Attorney W. J. Ford was reminded by the court at the same time that he had said during the closing argument of the trial that he would not try the case again. Ford was asked whether this meant that the indictment against Darrow would be dismissed. He replied that he referred only to his own personal attitude and had no authority to speak of the district attorney.

Judge Conley then announced that if the prosecution decided to discontinue the indictment it could do so before now and the time for the next calling of the case, March 24, and fixed March 31 as the date for a new trial, which will be the third on charges almost identical. Darrow thanked the court and added: "I'll fight it out; I should have been acquitted on the evidence and I shall surely fare better next time."

The jury, it was learned, stood eight for conviction and four for acquittal.

TO CALL BALLINGER IN ALASKA TRIALS

Chicago, March 8.—Former Secretary of the Interior Richard A. Ballinger may be called as a witness at the trial of Albert C. Frost and four other defendants before Federal Judge Landis for alleged fraud in obtaining Alaska coal claims. The testimony of the former cabinet official, whose controversy with Gifford Pinchot attracted very little attention, may be required because he is said to have acted in an advisory capacity to Frost and his associates in promulgating the alleged \$10,000,000 coal land scheme.

DISCOVERS OIL WELL

Aberdeen, Wash., March 8.—Announcement of the discovery of oil in Western Jefferson county, near the coast in what is known as the Hoh River district, is made here by Jay D. Cray, one of the best known business men of the harbor and builder of the harbor's system of street and interurban railways. The discovery follows investigation extending over a long period.

LEGLEITNER RELEASED

Leavenworth, Kas., March 8.—Henry W. Legleitner, of Denver, one of the men convicted of conspiring to transport dynamite illegally, was released from the federal prison to-day.

EXPLOSION CRIPPLED THE COAST DEFENCES

Concrete Foundations of Guns
in Forts Howard, Armistead
and Carroll Cracked

INQUIRY COMMENCED TO ASCERTAIN CAUSE

British Consul, Coroner and
American Authorities Are
Taking Evidence

PRAYERS IN CATHOLIC CHURCHES TO-MORROW

Baltimore, Md., March 8.—The explosion of dynamite in Baltimore harbor yesterday, which caused the death of forty or fifty men and the injury of as many others, seriously crippled the coast defences of the harbor it was learned to-day. In many instances the concrete foundations of the heavy guns in Forts Howard, Armistead and Carroll, were cracked, while several of the guns themselves were damaged by falling pieces of steel from the wrecked steamer. At Fort Armistead the damage will reach several thousand dollars and at Fort Carroll \$2,500.

Investigation of the explosion is under way to-day. The coroner of Annapolis has impounded a jury to investigate the case at once. The navy department at Washington, apprised of the serious damage to the collier Jason, about to be accepted by the department will inquire into the disaster, and at the same time it is probable an investigation will be undertaken by the interstate commerce commission, which has jurisdiction over the shipment of explosives in American waters. Because most of the crew of the destroyed steamer Alum Chine were subjects of Great Britain, the British consul at Baltimore, Gilbert Fraser will investigate. Authorities, however, say the real cause of the disaster never will be definitely learned because those who could give first-hand information are dead. The general theory is that the coal in the vessel's bunkers was set afire by spontaneous combustion, and the flames were communicated to the dynamite.

Early reports of the extent of the loss of life aboard the destroyed steamer and the other vessels lying in her immediate vicinity materially differed. It is accepted, however, that the list will total between forty and fifty dead, and almost as many more who were either dangerously or seriously injured. The financial loss was about \$250,000. In all the Catholic churches to-morrow prayers will be offered for the repose of the souls of those killed in the disaster, and for the recovery of the injured.

WILSON NAMES OLNEY BRITISH AMBASSADOR

Will Occupy Post Vacant
Through Recent Death of
Whitelaw Reid

Washington, D. C., March 8.—President Wilson has offered to Richard Olney, of Boston, secretary of state in President Cleveland's cabinet, the post of ambassador to Great Britain. It is not known whether Mr. Olney will accept, and it was said to-day that the matter had not gone so far as the sounding of the court of St. James as to Mr. Olney's acceptability.

Boston, March 8.—The definite announcement from Washington that President Wilson had offered him the post of ambassador at the court of St. James, which Richard Olney and his intimate friends by surprise.

Mr. Olney said: "I have received no such offer and I doubt the accuracy of the report."

He did not indicate whether he would accept the mission.

LISTS CLOSE APRIL 7 PERIOD IS SHORT

Under the recently-passed amendment to the Provincial Elections Act, the voters' lists of the province were cancelled on March 3. From March 3 to April 7 is the time set apart under the act during which names may be put on the new lists. After April 7 no names may be added. Liberals are reminded of the date and are urged to take the necessary action without delay so that none of their names will be left off through neglect.

PREMIER BOTHA WOULD HAVE OWN NAVY IN SOUTH AFRICAN WATERS

Could Not Be Bound to Policy
of Contribution to
Great Britain

PROTECTION OF TRADE ROUTES IS NECESSARY

Capetown, March 8.—That South Africa possesses a small navy of her own in African waters was the declaration of Right Hon. Louis Botha in the assembly yesterday when the debate on the attitude which should be taken by this country on imperial defence was concluded, and the contention of the government that the Admiralty should be consulted before framing any definite policy was ratified by the House.

Premier Botha declared that it would be impossible to bind South Africa to an annual contribution. The Mother Country, he thought, must be held primarily responsible for imperial defence. He believed that South Africa might easily possess a small navy of her own in her own waters, but he would prefer that the Admiralty be consulted first.

The minister of railways and harbors, Hon. J. Sauer, said that he doubted very much whether the contributions given by different parts of the Empire were wholly spontaneous. He very much doubted also whether South Africa could follow Canada's policy and have a minister present at the Imperial council. Africa must protect her trade routes.

FRENCH FIRMS ASK CERTAIN QUESTIONS

SEEK PROTECTION OF MODELS AND DESIGNS

Paris, March 8.—Some doubt exists as to the extent of the participation of France in the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco in 1915 and President Poincaré is interesting himself in the subject. He to-day received Senator Emile Dupont, the president of the Foreign Expositions Association and a number of deputies and other persons interested to obtain information on the situation.

Senator Dupont gave the following explanation: "Many French firms are most willing to send exhibits to San Francisco but their effective participation in the exposition is subordinated to the question of protection of the United States government is prepared to give to trademarks, designs and models of French origin."

"French exhibitors desire to be satisfied before going to San Francisco that the best French products will not be copied there by competitors. American legislation offers no guarantee of this kind nor does the United States government show any disposition to modify the present laws."

President Poincaré expressed the hope that some satisfactory arrangement might be made, but he approved an attitude taken by Senator Dupont and the Foreign Expositions Association.

CRUSADE AGAINST SULZER'S NEW BILL

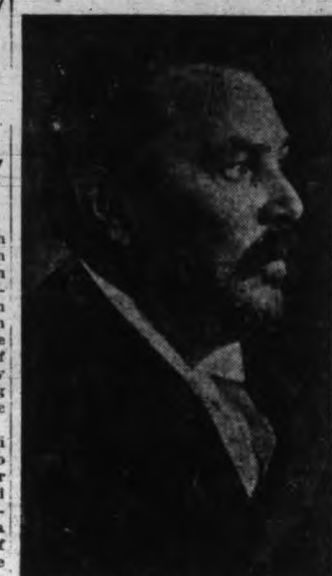
New York, March 8.—Walters, elevator men, telephone operators, bank messengers, telegraphers and clerks in the financial district are engaged in a crusade, the like of which Wall Street has never seen. It is directed against Governor Sulzer's bill affecting the stock exchange, and in particular the bill to raise from \$2 to \$4 the state tax on the transfer of ownership of each one hundred shares of stock.

RE-CLOTHE AN ARMY.

San Francisco, March 8.—The Examiner says to-day that 125,000 khaki uniforms purchased here yesterday from the quartermaster's department of the government by Leopold Michaels, a merchant, will be shipped to Mexico to reclothe that republic's army.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Winlock, Wash., March 8.—The one-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Coupe was burned to death here yesterday. The child was alone in the house with a little brother and sister, three and four years old, the mother having gone to the grocery store.



PREMIER BOTHA

HOSPITAL FREEDOM FOR DR. FRIEDMANN

German Scientist is Pleased
With Action of East Side
Institution

New York, March 8.—The People's hospital, a small institution on the East Side, where Dr. Friedmann, of Berlin, conducted his first treatment of patients in this country with his tuberculosis cure on Thursday, has voted to give the young bacteriologist the freedom of the hospital for life.

When Dr. Friedmann heard of the decision of the board of directors of the hospital to this effect he was plainly pleased, for previous to his admission to the hospital he had encountered numerous setbacks in his plan to treat patients in this country.

He did not say what advantage he would take of this privilege, but it was said that before he departed on Monday for Montreal he would treat probably as many as a hundred patients.

TWO ISLANDS ARE IN CANAL ZONE

Sixty-Two Thousand Visitors
Take Away Panama Coins
Causing Shortage

Panama, March 8.—An official survey is reported to have established the fact that the Pacific islands of Tortola and Tortolita are a part of the Panama Canal zone, being within three miles of the coast limit. The finding is regarded here as important, as both of the islands have rich pearl fisheries.

The United States government has just begun the erection of a large wireless plant at the Pacific entrance of the canal.

All records were broken during February when 108 ships brought 6,237 visitors to the canal. They have taken away so many of the little silver coins of Panama for souvenirs that there is at present an unusual shortage of small change.

WILL TRY FRIEDMANN CURE UPON MONKEYS

Washington, D. C., March 8.—Surgeon-general Hue, of the public health service, to-day designated Director John F. Anderson of the hygienic laboratory and Surgeon Arthur M. Stimson a board to conduct an investigation of Dr. Friedmann's tuberculosis vaccine. The two public health officers leave for New York to-night to meet the German physician to-morrow. They will work with him and bring cultures to the hygienic laboratory for tests and use upon monkeys.

GIVEN PRISON TERM.

Winnipeg, March 8.—"Dr." Hudson R. Sigler, of Minneapolis, who was found guilty Wednesday of attempting to perform an illegal operation, was this morning sentenced to eighteen months in jail by Justice Macdonald.

WARDEN TRANSFERRED.

Winnipeg, March 8.—Col. Irving, warden of Stony Mountain penitentiary for twelve years, has been transferred to Kingston. Capt. Ponsford, of St. Thomas, succeeds him.

HUERTA MAY GIVE OUT INFORMATION

Correspondence of Closing
Days of Madero Rule Gets
Consideration

ORDERS TO FIRE ON AMERICAN MARINES

Effort to Incite Anti-American
Sentiment Throughout the
Republic Charged

FORMER RULER IN DESPERATE STRAITS

Mexico City, March 8.—It was announced to-day that Provisional President Huerta is considering the advisability of making public the official correspondence of the closing days of the Madero administration, with the object of showing that the late president made strenuous efforts to incite anti-American sentiment throughout the republic.

The alleged orders given by Madero during the last week of his rule is one which directs the officers of the Mexican gunboats lying in the port of Vera Cruz to fire immediately on the American marines if an attempt is made to land forces from the United States war vessels, paying no regard to the expressed purpose of the American naval commanders merely to protect foreigners.

The execution of such an order would have meant the suicide of the Mexican naval forces, as a single shell from the battleship Georgia, then lying only 300 yards distant, would have been sufficient to destroy the Mexican gunboats.

It is also asserted that official files show that a few days before his capture Francisco I. Madero, in desperation, telegraphed to the state governor and jefe politico throughout the republic stating that American marines had landed at Vera Cruz, and that this foreign invasion demanded the loyalty of all Mexican citizens.

The government may also publish the orders given by Francisco I. Madero to General Huerta, then commander of the federal forces. These orders are said to include instructions to dynamite all the public and private buildings between the capital and the arsenal.

Three columns of the regular army and 2,000 adherents of Pascual Orozco are closing in on Venustiano Carranza, the rebel governor of Coahuila, according to official dispatches to-day. A decisive battle is expected on Sunday near Monclova, unless Carranza manages to escape over the border. The reported arrival of Alfonso Madero at Washington, where it is said the details of the former Madero conspiracy were developed, had been called to the attention of the Mexican cabinet. It is said that the Washington government will be asked to exercise extraordinary precautions in order to prevent professional revolution-makers in the United States from participating in the plans of the fugitives who are declared to be anxious to revenge.

It was reported to-day that the Southern Pacific railroad has transferred all its rolling stock from Sonora to Nogales, and has annulled the train service.

Douglas, Ariz., March 8.—The first decisive battle of the Sonora state rebellion is expected to-day or to-morrow morning at Agua Prieta, across the international line from Douglas. Refugees arriving this morning from Nacozari and Moctezuma reported to General Ojeda, commanding the 250 federal troops making up the garrison of the town, that 400 rebels, mounted and well-armed, are camped in a mountain gap a few miles south. During the night the leader of the rebels sent a formal demand for surrender. Ojeda did not send a reply.

The alarming situation in Sonora has interfered with the work of the Arizona legislature at Phoenix. Many members from border towns are rushing home to look after their families.

Train service from the south was annulled to-day after the arrival of the refugees by order of General Ojeda, who feared that the rebels would commandeer a train in which to move into Agua Prieta, as did "Red" Lopez two years ago.

MAGNIFICENT EAGLE IS PREY TO SCIENCE

White Bluffs, Wash., March 8.—A magnificent golden eagle, measuring seven feet from tip to tip of wings, was electrocuted on the power transmission lines near White Bluffs yesterday. A lineman in locating the difficulty with the grounded wires found a dead rabbit hanging limply on the network of the power lines. On the ground beneath he found the dead eagle. The big bird had captured the rabbit on the desert and had flown to the 44,000-volt wires to enjoy his bait, when the great spread of his body formed the deadly circuit which caused his death.



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MARTIN EGAN BACK IN UNITED STATES

Former Victoria Newspaper Man Returns for Year From Philippines

San Francisco, Mar. 8.—Martin Egan, former war correspondent and managing director of the Manila Times, arrived from the Philippines on the steamer Korea. He was accompanied by Mrs. Egan, and is staying at the Palace Hotel. He will remain in the United States for at least a year, and has made definite plans to return to the Far East. With Mrs. Egan, he will go to New York shortly.

As a correspondent of the Associated Press in the Spanish-American war, Mr. Egan attained prominence by his brilliant work, and is well known throughout the Philippine Islands and China and Japan. He took over the management of the Manila Times in 1909, and has been connected with that paper since, as well as being the representative of the Associated Press in Manila.

Mr. Egan is well thought of by Mr. Taft, who was impressed by his constructive journalistic work in the Philippines, and when the ex-President's private secretary, Charles D. Norton, resigned his position in 1911, Egan was offered the post. He declined in order to continue his work in the Philippines. He was formerly a member of the staff of the Victoria Daily Times.

It is necessary for me to ask the mother of the bride if she has nothing to say before I proceed with the ceremony. Voices of Mother (in background)—All I have to say is that if I hadn't had a good deal to say already they never would have landed here.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

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Bishop of London Speaks on Surplus of Educated Women in England

DR. PARKIN DOES NOT
ADVOCATE MARRIAGE

Prairie Man Unsuitable, Farm Pictures Not Typical of Conditions

London, March 8.—That those who are anxious for the surplus of educated women in this country still have their eye on Canada was declared yesterday by the Bishop of London, who said there would be a nation of a hundred millions on this side of the Rockies, and it was for women who were the world's idealists to make this new nation the kingdom of God.

Recently an offer was made to the girls' schools settlements here of two houses at Edmonton, Alberta, in which the former pupils might establish themselves. Miss Hodge, principal of the settlement, told the Canadian associated press today that there seemed a misapprehension among western Canadians concerning the object of those willing to found such a settlement. There was absolutely no spirit of condescension, but of real service. They realize churches in Canada would be willing to serve in any way desired. However, the Edmonton scheme had been abandoned, and it was no longer proposed to make an attempt further west.

Dr. Parkin, formerly principal of Upper Canada College, and head of the Rhodes Scholarship foundation, speaking on emigration of educated women to Canada, but without any reference to the foregoing, deprecated the idea which he believed rather prevalent here, that women might very well get married soon after their arrival. Educated women would find the style of the man of the prairie unsuitable. He deprecated also the pictures of some prairie farms shown here as being typical of western life. "You might as well take a view of suburban backyards here," he said, "and say it represented England."

WHEBLE SUES FATHER OF HIS DEAD FIANCEE

Claims Monetary Satisfaction for Arrest and Trial in Which He Was Acquitted

Toronto, Ont., Mar. 8.—Charles Wheble was engaged to marry Lavina Foster, whom he met in Toronto in 1906, and who died April 23, 1911. The love affair has culminated in trouble between Wheble and Joseph Foster, of Orangeville, father of his late fiancée. Wheble was arrested after the girl's death upon the complaint of her parent that he had stolen a purse, suitcase and gold watch which she left, and at the conclusion of his trial he was acquitted. Justice Britton is now hearing a suit in the jury assize court in which Wheble claims monetary satisfaction for the injury to his reputation, loss of time, wages and employment.

COMPROMISE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS IN QUEBEC

Protest Children's Protests Met by Closing on Easter Monday

Montreal, Que., Mar. 8.—In view of the storm of protests from Protestant school children in the city who are threatened with being deprived of their Easter holidays later in the season, the Protestant board of school commissioners has given way to the scholars. They make a compromise and say that they will give the children a holiday on Easter Monday, but more than this they will not give. The usual Easter holidays will be given in Passover week, in view of the large number of Hebrew scholars attending Protestant schools.

BOTH COMMONS AND LORDS PROROGUED

London, March 8.—Both houses of parliament were prorogued yesterday for a short session. The king's speech from the throne probably was the briefest on record on such an occasion. The new session will open on Monday next. The Home Rule bill and the Welsh Disestablishment bill will be taken up to be passed a second time by the House of Commons, in order that they may become law without the assent of the House of Lords.

It has been computed that eight or ten minutes' delay would destroy as much grass as 400 sheep.

MASTER MIND FOUND WITH OPIUM TRAFFIC

Confessions in Portland Cases Show Combination on Pacific Coast

Portland, Ore., Mar. 8.—So carefully planned by the master mind that one person involved in the opium smuggling ring scarcely knew any of the others, thus lessening the danger of exposure by arrest or confession, the biggest opium ring of recent years is now being broken up by the customs agents. The towns represented in the ring were Portland, San Francisco, Tacoma, Seattle, Spokane, Butte, Salt Lake, Chicago and New York on this side of the line, with Victoria and Vancouver as import stations in British Columbia, and headquarters also at Honolulu.

With the arrest of John W. Rogers, Miss Marian Bergman, and a Chinaman in Portland, the customs agents have secured a confession which shows the system by which the master mind operated.

MEXICAN REFUGEES ARRIVE AT NEW YORK

Father of Madero and Some Sixty Others Reach American Metropolis

New York, Mar. 8.—Francisco I. Madero, father of the late President of Mexico, arrived here today from Havana, a refugee. He was accompanied by a son, Ernesto, the latter's wife and family. The widow of the late president remained in Havana. The Maderos reached here on the steamship Mexico, and will remain in the city for an indefinite period. On the same vessel were about sixty other refugees from Mexico, less vital, concerned in the recent events there. Among others was John K. Turner, a writer, who was imprisoned just before the downfall of Madero, but escaped.

FRIEDMANN DEFIES CRITICS WILL PRACTICE

New York, Mar. 8.—Dr. Friedmann yesterday flung defiance at his critics by declaring that after a brief trip to Canada he would undertake to cure most advanced cases of tuberculosis. On March 13 the doctor will give a demonstration in Toronto before the National Sanitarium Association and the Provincial Board of Health.

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AVIATOR DECIDES TO CEASE AIR FLIGHTS

Chicago, March 8.—Lincoln Beachey, the aviator, said last night he would never fly again professionally. Beachey holds himself indirectly responsible for the death of several aviators, and gives this as his reason for giving up flying. "I have defied death at every opportunity in the last two years," he said. "I have been a bad influence, and the

death of a number of young aviators in this country can be traced, I believe, to a desire to emulate me in my foolishly-daring exploits in the air."

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

Portage La Prairie, March 8.—John Baran was last evening found guilty by the jury of the murder of Constable Rooke at Dauphin on December 22, and sentenced to be hanged on May 30, by Mr. Justice Frenkelman at the assizes here.

NEW SUFFRAGE BILL IN NEXT PARLIAMENT

Will Be Framed to Admit of Amendments Being Introduced

WIDE DIVERSITY OF OPINION ON MATTER

London, March 8.—Those Liberal members of the House of Commons who support Women's Suffrage have agreed upon a bill which will be introduced at the next session of parliament, but they have not been successful in getting the Unionists and Laborites, who also believe in giving the vote to women, to act with them. In fact there is a very wide difference of opinion among the suffragists as to how broadly the franchise should be extended in the case of women.

The bill of the Liberal suffragists would confer the parliamentary franchise on (1) women, whether married or unmarried, who, if they were men, would be entitled to be registered and to vote in respect of a household qualification; i.e., as inhabitants of occupiers of dwelling houses; and (2) the wives of such inhabitant occupiers, residing on the same premises as their husbands. The bill would restrict the franchise to women over 25 years of age. This bill would receive the support of those members of the cabinet who support the vote for women.

Of the other suffragists in the House, the Unionists would not go so far as the Liberals and the Laborites would go further. The former support what is known as the Conciliation Bill, which confers the vote on women property owners or women who occupy houses independently. The Labor Party is out for adult suffrage for both men and women. They point out that either of the other bills would shut out thousands of working girls and women who reside with their parents, or at any rate have no independent place of residence.

The Liberals intend to frame their bill so that amendments can be introduced, and the House given an opportunity of deciding which, if any, form of suffrage they wish to extend to women.

SLIGHT MISTAKE IN FIGURES OF CENSUS

Canada Had 1,805 More Than Given Out Officially After Compilation

Ottawa, March 8.—A census bulletin issued by the chief census commissioner makes a correction in the total population of the Dominion and deals with the religions of Canada as enumerated when the census was taken. The bulletin states that a correction for the city of Quebec and reports received from posts of the Hudson's Bay Company in the Northwest Territories since the publication of volume I, make the total population of Canada 7,206,642 instead of 7,204,837.

The province of Quebec should read 2,002,232 instead of 2,002,721, and the Northwest Territories 18,481 instead of 17,196.

The religions of the people as given in this bulletin are for the corrected population of 7,206,642. The specific religions are seventy-nine in number in 1911, for a population of 7,175,513, as compared with fifty-seven in 1901 for a population of 5,327,224. The number of persons without specified religion in 1911 was 32,490, as compared with 43,222 in 1901, counting in each case those who are specified as of "no religion."

FIFTEEN THOUSAND GIVE STRIKE NOTICE

London, March 8.—Fifteen thousand men will be involved if the threatened strike of Monmouthshire coal miners takes place a month hence. The men after holding several meetings during this week, to-day notified the mine owners that a strike would be declared at the end of four weeks as a protest against the employment of non-union miners. So far the owners have not answered the notice, and it is not known whether the miners will gain their point.

SYDNEY STRIKE SETTLED.

Sydney, N. S. W., March 8.—Amicable settlement was made to-day of the gas workers' strike, to the great relief of the citizens of this city who were just beginning to feel the need of a proper supply of gas after several days' non-supply.

The terms of the settlement have not yet been disclosed, but it was learned to-day that arrangements for extending the strike had been maturing quietly.

MADAME CONSTANT KILLED.

Teheran, Persia, March 8.—Madame Constant, wife of the Belgian director of customs at the port of Bushahre, was murdered to-day by an unidentified Persian, who also severely wounded M. Constant.

M. and Mme. Constant were driving when the assailant ran from behind their carriage and emptied his revolver at them.

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Warkenton, Ont., May 9, 1911.
"I have been in Warkenton in business for a good many years and many of my townsmen know that my health, for long periods was precarious. My trouble was extreme Nervousness, brought on by Indigestion and Dyspepsia, from which I suffered in the most severe form. It was so bad that I could not sleep before about four in the morning. I noticed one of your published testimonials of how someone had used 'Fruit-a-tives' for similar trouble and asked Mr. Hunter, my druggist, his opinion on the matter and he advised their use. I immediately procured several boxes and I am pleased to say that I now enjoy splendid health and could not possibly feel better. I can eat with every degree of satisfaction and sleep without an effort. I strongly advise anyone suffering from like complaints, to commence using 'Fruit-a-tives'."

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UNGAVA POSSESSES FABULOUS WEALTH

S. Otisse, Author of Elk Lake Rush in Ontario, Describes Trip to Northeast

FOUND PLATINUM, GOLD, RUBIES AND DIAMONDS

Ice Stays in Rivers All Year—Rapid in Nattawa River is 125 Miles Long

Diamonds, rubies, gold and platinum are four precious minerals which S. Otisse, the man who was the author of the Elk Lake gold rush in northern Ontario, declares are to be found in Ungava. Mr. Otisse, who is a wealthy mine owner in northern Ontario, already spent slightly over three months in Ungava last summer, and when seen at the Dominion hotel yesterday said he was on his way back to Toronto, his home, after a vacation in California with his family, to fit out another expedition which will leave the end of the Grand Trunk early in May. Mr. Otisse was very favorably impressed with Victoria as compared with the California cities which he visited. He is spending a few days here and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

"I have a sample of sand," said Mr. Otisse, "containing rubies and platinum. Both are infinitesimal in my sample, but there is enough to prove their presence in large quantities in Ungava. Furthermore, before I went I studied the formation in which diamonds are found in South Africa and I found identical formations in Ungava. When I returned I went straight to New York and spent several days comparing my observations with the specimens in the museum there and I know that there are diamonds where I was. I also found samples of gold."

Surpasses All Others.

Ungava is the least known part of Canada, for although Mr. Otisse went but 300 miles north of James Bay, a latitude in the west at which large cities exist, he penetrated to places where only two white men had ever been before and one of those has never been heard of since. The country, he said, was all rock and sand and there was a huge mountain range about a hundred miles from Hudson's Bay. The land was of little use for agriculture, but splendid potatoes could be grown in the short season. The timber was very small but in his opinion the mineral wealth surpassed that of any mineral country yet discovered.

"It will be many years before Ungava is opened up, however," he declared, "on account of transportation difficulties. The Nattawa river and the North Thompson river are over 500 miles long and three miles wide in places. Yet the ice never leaves their mouths. I saw half a mile of solid ice six feet thick on the 12th of July at the mouth of the Nattawa river. The rivers are very shallow a little way in from the mouth and are furiously swift. The Nattawa river is for 125 miles as bad as the Niagara gorge. It is white water all the way. I shot one 16-mile rapid in my canoe built specially for the purpose so that the only opening in the top fastens tight up under my arms and leaves only my head and arms in the air. Time and again my canoe went right under the white water and only my head was free, but the

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canoe always came up and the ballast made it non-capsizeable."

Bunkum Circus Pictures, from Brown, Commercial Photographer, 1123 1/2 Quadra Street.

SAANICH LIBERALS

A meeting of the Liberals of Saanich constituency will be held at the Baptist church schoolroom (end of Douglas St. car line, on Tuesday, March 11th, at 8 p. m.

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be at Times office before 6 p.m. of the day
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SOOKE EXPROPRIATIONS.

It is predicted that when the final
cost of expropriations in connection
with the Sooke waterworks project is
reported the amount will exceed a
million dollars. This sum is within a
few hundred thousand dollars of the
early estimate of the whole outlay. It
is a little less than the contract price
for the actual waterworks construction
now in progress and approximates the
figure for which the city could have
acquired the whole undertaking of the
Esquimalt Company. While we must
go through with the work no matter
what it costs, the experience should
be a lesson to those progressive citizens
who failed to exercise foresight in their
consideration of the scheme. A little
reflection would have made an amend-
ment of the estimate necessary.

The people who owned property that
had to be acquired naturally wanted
average market prices, upon the basis
of which negotiations were conducted.
We do not think any of them desired
to be regarded as philanthropists or
in any other light than as mere human
beings who intended to make the best
bargain they could. If this aspect had
received the consideration it deserved
the estimate upon which the ratepay-
ers voted would have been largely in-
creased and might have caused them to
pause. Sometimes we fear we are
apt to forget that the money markets
of the world are not inexhaustible and
that we cannot always embark upon
gigantic enterprises with the certain
assurance that we can raise funds to
pay for them. Ordinary business fore-
sight will save us from a sea of
trouble.

A CLEAR-CUT ISSUE.

In his speech on the second reading
of the navy bill Mr. Borden removed
all doubt that his proposal is intended
to be the beginning of a policy of con-
tribution. He took direct issue with
the Liberal policy as outlined in the
amendment introduced by Sir Wilfrid
Laurier and to the Naval Act of 1910
and said:

The policy of hon. gentlemen oppo-
site, as contained in the naval proposi-
tion of 1910, is defined and explained in
the passage which I have just read from
my right hon. friend's remarks on that
occasion, and that is a proposal which
according to their contention is worthy
of the loyal and patriotic citizens of
Canada. We take absolute excep-
tion to any such proposal. We say
that if we are to remain an empire we
cannot have five foreign policies and
five separate navies. We say that the
people of the overseas dominions can-
not be indefinitely excluded from such
a voice as may be just in foreign af-
fairs, if this Empire is to be continued.

What does this mean? It means that
Mr. Borden is against what he de-
scribes as a separate navy, such, for
instance, as Australia is developing.
He aims at centralization instead of
local control, and if that were attain-
ed his naval policy would be one of per-
manent contributions. There can be
no other interpretation of the words
quoted. And yet we have Conservative
papers hinting at some mysterious
policy now being evolved by Mr. Borden
which will afford protection for the
Pacific coast! As a matter of fact, in
the same speech he said that a fleet
unit on the Pacific coast would be use-
less for defence purposes. But what
about the project of co-operation with
Australia, New Zealand and the British
China fleet for the protection of British
interests in this ocean? Mr. Borden
ignores that aspect completely. He
steadfastly has set his face against
any policy that will enable Canada to
do her duty on this coast. His policy
is contribution first, last and always.

As opposed to this we have Sir Wil-
frid Laurier's permanent policy of a
Canadian naval organization with fleet
units on both coasts, under Canadian
control in time of peace; under admin-
istrative control in time of war. Here is
his emphatic declaration:
"We say if you want to obtain a true

conception of the grandeur of Great
Britain let the young nations of the
Empire—let Canada, let Australia
(which has already made a beginning),
let South Africa, let New Zealand—
prepare their own naval defences and
throw around their sea ports a line of
effective defence, being ready, should
an emergency arise, to take their place
in the Imperial fighting line. Imperial
federation is a great idea which
strongly appeals to the imagination,
but unfortunately, to me at least, it
has always seemed to be impracticable.
Impracticable at all events so long as
there is not an approximation between
the population of the mother country
and the population of the new domini-
ons, between the wealth of one and the
wealth of the other, and so long as
there is not an approximation in the
ideas of local legislation. I repeat
what I have had occasion to say so
many times: that if we are to have a
voice in the question of peace and war,
the only way we can have must be
under the control of the Canadian Par-
liament, the Canadian Government, and
the Canadian people. We follow
our course as the good ship I mid-
ocean which, though battered by storm
and wind and all the fury of the un-
chained elements, still steadily, slowly
but certainly, ploughs its course to-
ward the port, and that port is im-
perial unity based upon local auton-
omy."

The issue, therefore, is clear. It is
centralization against dominion auton-
omy. We thought this question was
settled seventy years ago. It must be
decided over again, and, that being so,
should not the voice of the people be
heard concerning it?

DEATH OF PAULINE JOHNSON.

The death of Miss E. Pauline Johnson
has removed another talented Canadian
woman. She was the daughter of a
chief of the Mohawks, the most en-
lightened branch of the Six Nation In-
dians, and was endowed with the nat-
ural dignity and eloquence which have
been the distinguishing characteristics
of that proud and capable tribe. From
her mother, an Englishwoman, she in-
herited that profound regard for British
traditions and institutions which was
visible in her lectures and many of her
literary works. She was instinctively
a child of the Muse, at a very early
age gave evidence of her gift, and as
she grew older her charming verse
found a ready acceptance in the promi-
nent publications of two continents.
The pity of it is that on her, as on the
late Agnes Deans Cameron, the heavy
hand of the destroyer should be laid
just as she reached the full meridian of
her powers.

CITY HALL MYSTERY.

The mysterious disappearance of the
minute book in which are recorded the
proceedings of the streets committee of
last year is the latest sensation at the
city hall. The meetings of the streets
committee have always been attended
by representatives of the press and the
newspaper files contain more infor-
mation of what took place than was
recorded in the book. Its chief
value lay in the fact that it was an
official record. It had the names of
the movers and seconders of the resolu-
tions authorizing the various civic
works. It did not record the little
dashes of rhetorical eloquence or the
exchanges of repartee with which the
proceedings were sometimes enlivened.

But what became of the book? Did it
fall into the hands of a curious tourist
who sold it to J. Pierpont Morgan for
his museum? Who else would be suf-
ficiently interested in so dry a compi-
lation as to take it away? But we
should take more precautions to pre-
vent our property at the city hall from
becoming souvenirs. If we allow this
lesson to pass unheeded, some day we
may find several of our aldermen mis-
sing, and everybody knows how difficult
it is to recover property once alienated
by the souvenir fiend. We suggest that
our records be locked to a stout
chain such as was attached to the
ancient Bibles. Then it would be im-
possible for any predacious individual
to remove them unless he took the en-
tire building, which we confidently be-
lieve cannot be done.

THE SUN LIFE.

The financial statement of the Sun
Life Assurance Company of Canada
appears on another page of to-day's
Times. It is a remarkably satisfactory
document. The assets of the company
as at December 31st last were \$40,606,
616.49, which was an increase over 1911
of nearly \$6,000,000. The growth of the
Sun Life, as indicated by the life as-
surances in force, has been as follows:
In 1872, \$1,064,350; in 1892, \$23,901,047;
in 1902, \$67,161,602; in 1912, \$187,733,420.
This is a wonderful increase, and while
indicative of the marvellous growth of
Canada is equally an evidence of sound
management on the part of the direc-
torate. The claim is made that "outside
of companies issuing industrial policies
the Sun Life now does a larger new
life assurance business than any other
company incorporated in the British
Empire." The new business in 1912 was
\$30,824,409.64. The local representative
is Mr. John H. Poff.

"It is always pleasing for me to hear
anyone sing Rule Britannia, although
in the country in which I was raised
we never sing it over empty ships. We
always put men in them."—Dr. Clark
in House of Commons.

The Calgary News-Telegram accuses
Dr. Clark of being too loquacious. The
doctor spoke for a little more than an
hour. Mr. Bennett, Calgary's member,
pawed the air for three hours and ten
minutes. Our Calgary contemporary is
merely joking.

Says the Victoria Colonist in a recent
issue: "The Manitoba Free Press asks
why Canada cannot proportionately do
as well as the United States in man-
ning its warships with its own sailors.
An American admiral, while on a visit
to England, was asked where was the
best recruiting ground for the United
States navy, and in reply he said:
'Portsmouth.'"

No American admiral in recent times
ever made any such statement. If the
story is true it is old. Official figures
show that out of 46,000 men serving in
the United States navy only 1,078 are
native of the British Empire. Of
these 222 are Canadians. If the United
States can raise a force of 46,000 men
to man her navy why cannot Canada
raise 5,000 men for a similar purpose?
Will the Colonist or some other "Little
Canada" paper please answer?—Mani-
toba Free Press.

The London Times, January 25th,
1913, has the following despatch from
Sydney, N. S. W.:

"Mr. Pearce, Federal Minister for
Defence, to-day declares that the
naval position is eminently satisfac-
tory. Recruits are being enrolled in
good numbers and are taking kindly
to the training. The only trouble is to
provide sufficient accommodation for the
splendid material which is coming
forward. 'From the Admiralty,' said
Mr. Pearce, 'we have received enthu-
siastic assistance, both in the loan of
H. M. cruisers Encounter and Pioneer,
and in the loan of skilled officers and
instructors. In fact the Admiralty has
shown it is willing in every possible
way to help the infant navy's develop-
ment.'"

TELEPHONE POLES TO BE TAKEN DOWN

Proposed by Electric Light
Committee to Install Wall
Attachments Instead

PROPERTY OWNERS ARE ASKED TO CO-OPERATE

Reduction of Poles Will Aid in
Beautification—Government
Street First

As the British Columbia Telephone
Company is under agreement with the
city council to remove certain of its
large poles within the next few weeks,
the electric light committee, in co-
operation with Mr. Hutchinson, city
electrician, is attempting to make the
streets less unsightly by eliminating
poles from some sections of streets
altogether.

An attempt will first be made on a
new arrangement on Government
street, between Humboldt and Cornor-
nant, which may be reckoned as about
the busiest stretch of thoroughfare in
the city. The Telephone Company is
already preparing to strip the poles in
this section, preparatory to taking
them down altogether. To enhance
the beauty of the main street is the
object of the new campaign by the
electric light committee.

To do this the co-operation of the
property owners is needed. At the
present time the poles serve as sup-
ports for the trolley wires and tele-
phone lines. The new arrangement
would eliminate the trolley support
from all the owners of property
in the section of the street named, to
allow the wires to be supported by
attachment to the front walls of the
building. The eye-bolt is the proposed
fixture, and the arrangement has been
used to excellent effect in many other
cities. Seattle, for instance, has fol-
lowed it. There is absolutely no detri-
ment to the property in these attach-
ments in any possible way, it is point-
ed out. On the other hand they will
prove a boon and a blessing to the
storekeeper in that he need no longer
have his view obstructed by a huge
pole before his door.

Of course the arrangement is entire-
ly optional. If the property owner pre-
fers the pole there is no reason in the
world why he should not have it, save
that it militates against his own con-
venience. The arrangement in any
case is not proposed to be binding, and

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ment, he is at liberty to seek a change
and procure a pole.

But it is believed that there will not
be a single dissentient voice against
the wall support system. The main
street of the city has too long remained
an eyesore with its forest of telephone
poles, it is declared, and individually
and corporately, there is no doubt that
the new arrangement will be welcom-
ed, tending as it does towards the fur-
ther beautification of this beautiful
city.

COUNCILLOR'S WIFE RECEIVED CONTRACTS

Esquimalt Council Promises
End to Unintentional Wrong
—Will Not Unseat Mesher

At the meeting of the Esquimalt
works committee last night a deputa-
tion from the Voters' League complain-
ed that municipal contracts for team-
ing had been let to Mrs. Mesher, wife
of Councillor J. F. Mesher. The facts
were admitted—but Councillor Mesher
explained that he did not know that
this was in contravention of the law,
and the committee promised that no
further contracts would be so let.

The deputation was advised that if it
wished to take steps to disqualify
Councillor Mesher it would have to
take the formal procedure through the
courts. A prominent member of the
Voters' League stated this morning
that it was most unlikely that any fur-
ther steps would be taken in the mat-
ter, as all that was desired was to put
an end to the error. The league re-
cognized that Mr. Mesher was an ex-
ceedingly valuable councillor and did
not wish to lose his services.

Another complaint against the dismis-
sal of a certain workman was made,
but the councillors informed the deputation
that the foreman was permitted
to use his discretion as to the merits
of the men he employed.
J. S. Floyd advised the councillors as
to what steps would have to be taken
to re-read the by-laws found to be in-
valid for want of proper signatures and
other proceedings in relation to them.
A start will be made Monday night at
the council meeting to re-pass the by-
laws.

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The remarkable development of the
Fairfield Estate is again indicated by
a permit taken out by T. Thornton for
stores and a dwelling on the property
next to the Fairfield block, Cook street,
close to the intersection of Oxford
street. The plans are for a two-story
frame building with concrete founda-
tion, from the plans of E. Newbold.
The cost will be \$9,000, and Pinner &
McLean are the contractors.

Other recent permits taken out are
for Charles Winton, for a seven-room
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Naught's so bad it can't be worse.
March 8.

Daughters of Empire.—The regular monthly meeting of the Navy League Chapter of the I. O. D. E. will not take place on Monday, but is postponed till the second Monday in April.

Reward of \$500.—A reward of \$500 has been offered by the government for the delivery of Jay Kam, who is wanted on a charge of murdering Jay Sun at Mission. Jay Kam is believed to be hiding in Vancouver or New Westminster.

Commission Awarded.—George K. Lawrence's claim for \$250 commission on the sale of a house and lot for Allen Dawson was upheld by Judge Lampman this morning in his judgment in the suit brought by Lawrence against Dawson for this amount.

Rally To-night.—The majority rally is set for this evening, at which Mayor Morley will meet those who assisted in the campaign last week and secured his election. The function, which is being held at the Castle hall, North Park street, will be under the auspices of the election committee.

Woodmen of the World.—A business meeting of the Victoria branch of the C. O. W. O. W. took place last evening, when an entertainment committee to arrange for an open meeting to take place on March 21 was appointed. Cards and music will form the evening's entertainment, and members are expected to bring ladies.

Sunday Concert.—The programme to be given by Rowland's band at the Victoria theatre on Sunday evening will include the following numbers: Selection: "Chimes of Normandy"; overture to "Poet and Peasant"; medley, "Plantation Songs." The band will be assisted by Miss M. Griffith, soprano, and Mr. F. Kelway, baritone.

Liberals Met Last Evening.—The Liberal Association met again last evening in connection with safeguarding the interests of the electors under the Provincial Elections Act, and a notice of the decisions reached and where commissioners may be found in the city, will be published in the Times next week.

German Manufacturers.—A large party of German manufacturers is expected here in the course of the next few months. They will be entertained during their visit by the members of the German Club and the Real Estate Exchange. Dr. Karl Weiss, of Vancouver, has communicated with the local club respecting the proposed visit.

Obstructing Linden Avenue.—The objection which was taken last year to telephone poles on Linden avenue was renewed in council last evening when the British Columbia Telephone Company asked for permission to place poles on that fine residential street between Chapman street and May street. The city has no power to prevent this being done there was no option but to comply with the request. The only control is in the matter of location.

Guarantee Coal.—H. J. Howden, a San Francisco financial man, arrived in the city from Calgary this morning. He has just completed a tour of investigation of the prairie cities. Mr. Howden, who is one of the financiers of the Cohn Locker Company and numerous other California corporations, states that the town of Moose Jaw is guaranteeing coal at \$1.50 per ton to manufacturers locating there, in the event of the gas supply failing. He was in conference with George P. Micht, of Winnipeg, this morning.

Life-Saving Examination.—Dr. David Donald last night examined the members of the life-saving class at the Y. M. C. A. Dr. Donald is the honorary medical officer here of the Royal Life-Saving Society. The examination included practical and theoretical work in all aspects of the course which has been given by Warren Long, A. J. Dainoff, secretary for the society here, gave a very much appreciated address to the students. Dr. Donald and Mr. Hopper added their encomiums to the praise of Mr. Dainoff.

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- A908—If This Rose Told You All It Knows. (Morse.) Henry Burr, tenor. Orchestra accompaniment.
- Daddy. (Behrend.) Merle Tillotson, contralto. Orchestra accompaniment.
- A5190—Trovatore, II. (Verdi.) Home to Our Mountains. Merle Tillotson, contralto, and John Young, tenor. In English. Orchestra accompaniment.
- Trovatore, II. (Verdi.) Selections. Prince's orchestra.
- A968—Love's Old Sweet Song. (Molloy.) Stehl, Richard and Schuster, violin, 'cello and harp trio.
- Song Without Words. (Dubey.) Charles Schuetze, harp.
- A5096—For All Eternity. (Mascheroni.) Henry Burr, tenor. Orchestra accompaniment.
- The Star, the Rose and the Dream. (Snyder.) Frank C. Stanley, baritone, and Henry Burr, tenor. Orchestra accompaniment.
- A5380—Martha. (Flotow.) Vocal Gems. (Arranged by C. A. Prince.) Columbia Light Opera Company. Orchestra accompaniment.
- Martha. (Flotow.) Selections. Prince's orchestra.
- A1040—Ave Maria. (Gounod.) Guido Deiro, accordion.
- El Miserere—From II Trovatore. (Verdi.) Guido Deiro, accordion.
- A1019—Viva. (Riker.) Mendelssohn Male Quartette, unaccompanied.
- Stars of the Summer Night. Mendelssohn Male Quartette. Unaccompanied.
- A1100—Willow Grove March. (Sorrentino.) Prince's band.
- Flirtation Caprice. (Campbell.) Prince's orchestra.
- A5197—Norma. (Bellini.) Casta diva. (Queen of Heaven.) Celestina Boninsegna, soprano. In Italian.
- Norma. (Bellini.) Ah, Bello a me ritorna. (Restore to me your love's protection.) Celestina Boninsegna, soprano. In Italian. Orchestra accompaniment.

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To Protect Convenience.—Alderman Dilworth has promised as chairman of the parks committee of the city council to indicate to the park staff the necessity of protecting the public conveniences about the city parks from destruction. There has been a great deal of complaint on the subject recently.

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"Alma, Where Do You Live?"

"Alma, Where Do You Live?" which scored a big success on its last appearance in this city, comes back for a return engagement at the Victoria theatre Wednesday, March 12. The dreamy music and the "vicy" style of "Alma, Where Do You Live?" are the two things principally responsible for the vogue of this Anglicized French musical play.

An innocent fresh-faced young man comes from the country to Paris to inherit a huge fortune if he doesn't propose to any woman in a given time, which is only twenty-four hours off. Alma, who is so lovely and attractive that a dozen admirers are asking "where do you live?" is hired by his designing relatives to make love to the boy and induce him to propose to her so that they may inherit the money. In the efforts of Alma to win him first for the others and then for herself is found the plot. Of course she saves him and much to the delight of everybody, but the wicked relatives, they are married in the end.

Miss Grace Drew will have the part of Alma and will be supported by Carlton King, Chas. F. Orr, Bertha Whitney and others.

Durbar in Kinemacolor.

Owing to the great success of the Durbar recent engagement at the Victoria theatre, Manager Denham has

not only in motion but in all the original colors of nature.

Empress Theatre.

There is an attractive bill promised for the coming week at the Empress theatre. Heading the bill is a bright playlet, "A Christmas on the Comstock," in which two members of the legitimate who are well known on the Pacific coast, Miss Monda Glendower and Mr. Raymond Manion, will be seen. It is staged with scenery showing the country in which is situated the famous Comstock Lode, and it has a gripping story. A trio of fun-makers are Welch, Mealey and Montrose, who will present a laughable skit with the title of "Play Ball." "Scream" Welch, as the fat policeman in the case, is reported to be a host in himself. Miss Jennie Fletcher, "the Scottish nightingale," is to be heard in a repertoire of classical and semi-classical songs. She wears some exquisite gowns. Dow and Dow are a pair of character comedians whose performance takes place on the deck of a cruiser. They have a line of parodies and chatter. Skating Bl Jouve, a team, perform some unexpected feats on roller skates, concluding with a dance of grace and dexterity. The Empresscope pictures will be up to standard.

Joseph Lhevinne.

Lhevinne, the Russian pianist who is to appear at the Victoria theatre on



JEANNIE FLETCHER

Who will be seen at the Empress Theatre next week.

little wife, whose love for him is unfaltering. By her lovable yet determined action and bright wit, the wife regains her idol unshattered. And how she does it and the efforts of the widow to baffle the wife, form the story. The curtain rises on the apartments of the Stantons at a time when, goaded on by the widow and circumstances, Young Stanton is about to tell his wife of his determination to divorce her and marry the widow, he poor man, not knowing that his wife is as wise as he on that point. Stanton and the widow had been enjoying a long auto ride when an accident terminated it, both occupants of the

car escaping unhurt, but greatly dreading newspaper notoriety.

Miss Mildred Page will play Marion Stanton and Miss Farnsworth the sophisticated widow. Val M. Howland will portray the erring young husband. As the netty reporter, Lynch, Byron Alden will have a congenial character to interpret. The others members of the cast will be acceptably placed. As it is one of the latest society comedies, the ladies of the company will show some pretty creations in the way of gowns and accessories, and the piece will be staged with the usual skill.



JOSEF LHEVINNE

The Russian pianist, who appears at the Victoria Theatre on March 12.



GRACE DREW AND CHARLES F. ORR

In "Alma, Where Do You Live?" at the Victoria Theatre, March 12.

booked a return engagement for the week of March 19, with the exception of Wednesday night, with special matinees on Thursday and Saturday. When King George of England went to India to be crowned there as Emperor, one of his greatest delights was to take an hour or two away from the burden of the day's ceremonial and ride out into the country on what is known as the "Taxicab of India." From time immemorial the people of India who could afford it, have used the elephant as the means of conveyance, and though the "taxicabs" of that country have introduced the gasoline consuming machine the natives have fought shy of it and prefer to be carried around on the back of the behemoth. The picture which will be shown on the screen of King George riding on the back of an elephant, was caught by one of the camera men of the Kinemacolor Company which controls the invention which reproduces scenes and incidents.

Wednesday, March 19, under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Club, is, like his patron Rubenstein, charmingly unaffected and full of enthusiasm. There is nothing sentimental, nothing effeminate about him. He is broad-shouldered, abounds in good nature, and is untouched by any freakish mannerisms such as are too often affected by musicians. His wife is a woman of unusual attainments. She was accorded at the Royal Conservatory of Moscow the highest honors as a pianist ever given a woman at the institution. She often appears in concert with her husband and helps to plan his programmes. The Lhevinnes live at Wannsee, a fashionable suburb of Berlin, where their house is a favorite gathering place for prominent people of all kinds—painters, writers, diplomats, composers and fellow artists. Lhevinne also has pupils. In addition to his many concert engagements finding time to guide the musical development of a large piano class. A man of large means gained from his successful public work, he does not teach for the income, but from a praise-worthy sense of duty.

He was a great friend of Rubenstein's, who taught him many points of inestimable value and took a greater interest in his career than in that of any other pianist. Tchaikowsky, the Russian composer, was another of his valuable friends.

Princess Theatre.

The coming week the Williams Stock Company will produce one of the New York successes in society comedy, "A Widow's Whims," which has just been released for the stock companies and which was immediately secured for Victoria's enjoyment.

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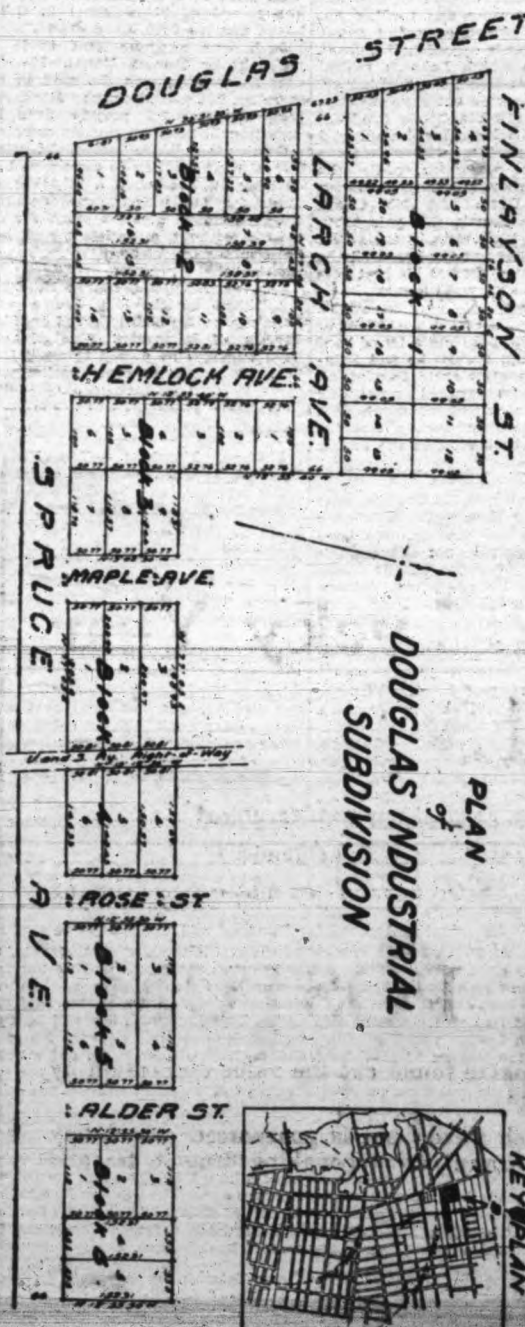
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SPORTING NEWS

PATERSON CUP FOR THE SENATORS RECRUIT SCORES THE ONLY GOAL

Fiercely-Contested Game With Westminster Went Fifty-Five Minutes Without a Score—Senators Created Record—Balance of Schedule Will Now Be Dropper

New Westminster, B. C., March 8.—Well, it's all over, boys. Vancouver gave us a score but after all class will tell and Victoria simply had to do it. The Senators established a league record in shutting out New Westminster at the Salmonbellies Arena last night. The balance of the scheduled games will now be dropped, Victoria having attained a lead which makes it impossible for Vancouver to overtake the Capital City warriors. The Paterson cup, now in possession of New Westminster, will be transferred to Victoria without delay and the coast title, for a year at least, will remain in the Capital.



LESTER PATRICK
Manager of the victorious Senators.

Just what a battle the teams provided last night may be judged from the score. Bob Genge, another Victoria recruit, took a pass from Tommy Dunderdale while standing in front of the New Westminster goal less than five minutes from the start and that wound up the scoring.

Pierce Checking.

The teams provided the fiercest checking struggle that has been staged in the P. C. H. A. this season, the sticky ice making it difficult to carry the puck, with the result that the referees were given a difficult task to keep the teams playing real hockey. Victoria's team looked an altogether different aggregation from that which was defeated by Vancouver on Tuesday evening and, playing with the knowledge that a victory meant the championship, Lester Patrick's proteges simply could not be beaten. It was a grand exhibition of a team, with a spare working on the line and a goal tender brought out of a scheduled for this game, fighting desperately for the honors which it has so richly deserved, and even the Royal City supporters were forced to admit the grit and courage of the champions. The latter went out and beat Westminster at the latter's own game, checking the Royals to death all through the piece, and having a decided edge on what team play was exhibited.

It was a fearful test on the players, going fifty-five minutes without a score, and the victory reflects more the ability of Victoria to hold a lead than that of the New Westminster team to overcome a handicap. Victoria went out and secured an early lead, holding the Royals safe for the balance of the encounter. There was too much body-checking, tripping and hooking to allow of any great display of brilliant hockey, but the teams were fighting tooth and nail for the entire route.

Rough at the Finish.

The windup could not have been more sensational. As the minutes dragged along with the Victoria team hanging desperately on to its lead of one goal the Royal City fans became frantic. One goal to the championship! Victoria was having the better of the play and Hugh Lehman saved a sure score when he skated out of his nets and laid

three minutes; Tobin, three minutes; R. McDonald, five minutes.

Line-up:

Victoria	Westminster
Lindsay.....Goal	Lehman
Progers.....Point	Rochon
Patrick.....Cover	Johnson
Poulin.....Rover	McDonald
Dunderdale.....Centre	Tobin
Rowe.....Right wing	Gardner
Genge.....Left wing	Oatman

The officials—Referee, St. Griffin; Judge of play, Carl Kendall; timekeeper, E. W. Lynch; penalty timekeeper, Frank Patrick; goal umpires, Eddie McCarthy and L. Reynolds.

MULDOON TO MEET WEEKS

Pete Muldoon, the trainer of the Vancouver hockey and lacrosse teams, intends to re-enter the ring, and Seattle promoters are arranging for a bout between him and Billy Weeks, the middleweight boxer, some time this month. It is probable the battle will be staged the same evening as the Bayley-Valise bout. Muldoon is a prime favorite in Seattle, and he has a victory to his credit over Weeks secured when Weeks was sporting the colors of the Vancouver Athletic Club in the amateur ring. Since then Weeks has been continually at the game, while Muldoon has been more or less in retirement.

MAKES UP ALL-STAR TEAM FOR THE COAST

Ottawa, Ont., March 8.—Art Ross is organizing an all-star professional hockey team to take to the coast, and proposes leaving March 17. He solicited the services of Jack Darragh, but the Ottawa youngster declined. Ronan is going, however, and Benedict will be the goalkeeper. The threats of the N. H. A. to punish any of its players who go out west and play against the Pacific coast teams are merely winked at by the players.

BURNS TO ENTER RING MARCH 17

Calgary, Alta., March 8.—"I'm going to try myself out, and have signed for a six-round no-decision bout at Manchester Arena, March 17, with Arthur Felky, New York heavyweight, who drew with Jess Willard last July, and has record of 26 decisions in thirty bouts, another four being draws."

Such was announcement made at midnight by Tommy Burns. He said that he would go on the road in the morning, but was already in fair shape, being down to 185 pounds five. He says he will take ten pounds more off. Bombardier Wells last night wired Burns a proposition to meet him here on May 24, but asked a \$10,000 guarantee for ten rounds, no decision. Burns declared this too much for ten rounds without a decision, and said he would wire Wells a counter proposition this morning.

For the semi-final, March 17, Burns will try to match Kid Lucas with Frank Smethers, Kid Farrell or Eddie Franks, of Edmonton. One of these boys will also be picked to meet Herbert Atkins in a ten-round preliminary.

NEW BASEBALL LEAGUE

Chicago, March 8.—The Federal Baseball League, with six clubs already assured, will be christened today at Indianapolis. The league, which day incorporated under the laws of Indiana, will be composed of Chicago, St. Louis, Detroit, Indianapolis, Cleveland and Pittsburgh. Cincinnati, Milwaukee and Kansas City are seeking franchises.

BILLIARD MATCH POSTPONED.

The billiard match between Vancouver and Victoria has been postponed from to-day until Monday night owing to an unforeseen delay in the completion of the Westholme parlors. A banquet will be given in honor of the visitors.

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

New Arenas Assured for Montreal and Quebec.

Prompted, no doubt, by the success of the artificial rinks on the coast, the eastern hockey promoters are going in for brand new arenas. Quebec has long been promised a rink that will hold the crowds which gather to see the champions perform and the Ancient Capital fans are to get this structure next winter. It will be about the same size as the Victoria arena, but will lack the artificial plant, Quebec's winter being sufficiently severe to ensure ice at all times during the playing season. Montreal capitalists have taken out a building permit to erect an artificial arena at Montreal. The invasion of the east by the artificial plants makes possible the proposed annual Inter-League series for the world's hockey championship.

Quebec Claims Record.

Establishing a new record for consecutive victories, Quebec finished up the N. H. A. season with their eleventh straight win. The previous record was nine straight, made by Ottawa a couple of years ago. The Stanley Cup holders won from Ottawa by a score of 8-6. Wanderers finished in second place, defeating Tecumsehs by a 10-3 score, while Toronto defeated Canadiens 6-2. Three teams tied for third place in the eastern hockey race.

Deducted Fines From Salaries.

"So far as the Ottawa club is concerned all fines imposed during the season by the referees must be paid by the players themselves," declares Secretary Martin Rosenthal. This statement was borne out the other day when some of the players received their cheques from which was deducted fines that had accrued during the season.

AL DAVIES WON FROM BELMONT IN A FAST BOUT

The last bout on the card, that between Al Davies, bantamweight champion of the Pacific coast, and Roy Belmont, Portland, who is reputed to be the American bantamweight champion, was easily the best feature of a ten-event boxing tournament, staged at the Victoria theatre last night.

Davies won by disqualification, blocking and covering, though the Portland boy was a shade faster. The latter started off in great style. Davies' swift blocking kept everything out. Except for a few body blows, Davies was untouched. Finally the Rose City boy's second threw his towel in the ring and Al got the bout.

Another K. O. for the Gunner.

Gunner Ross added another scalp to his knockout belt yesterday. Earl McKenzie, also of the J. B. A. A., put up a very good fight, showed speed and class, and might have earned a decision had he not just dropped his guard for one fatal moment.

An Even Bout.

Blainey Scott and Charlie Traws, both of the J. B. A. A., were fairly even in the heavyweight class. Through four rounds of good, clean boxing they mixed it hard, Blainey Scott doing most of the forcing. Scott secured the decision.

Lin Powers, a classy little lightweight of the Multnomah club, proved too skilful for Motherall, of the J. B. A. A. Half way through the second round Motherall showed signs of grogginess and the police intervened.

"Scotty" in the Limelight.

Scotty McKay figured in the public eye on two occasions and added a couple of victories to his already long list. He defeated for his brother Donald against Yost Schmeer, of Portland. The awarding of a close decision to Scotty was by no means a popular verdict, the Portland boy receiving a tremendous ovation when he made his exit. In his other bout Scotty easily outdistanced Irving, a club mate.

Vancouver Entry Outclassed.

The only Vancouver entry, Morrison, was not in the same class with Myra, the lady J. B. A. A. boxer, in the 125 lb. mill. The referee stopped the bout in the second round.

The scrap between Willis and Hicks in the 145-lb. class made up in the vigor and hard swapping of punches whatever it lacked in the way of science. Willis got the decision.

Al Jeffs was a most efficient referee, while W. Hall and W. Warburton acted as judges. Barney McCale was announcer and L. Oliver the timekeeper.

TO HANDLE OARSMEN

Herbert "Shorty" Walton, late of Niagara Falls, Ontario, who has had wide experience in Yorkshire, England, is now acting as trainer for J. B. A. A. Rowing Club. He is taking special pains with Bill Kennedy, ex-Pacific Coast champ, and states that he will have him in the best possible condition for this season's rowing, and predicts that he will bring back the Pacific Coast sculling championship to Victoria.



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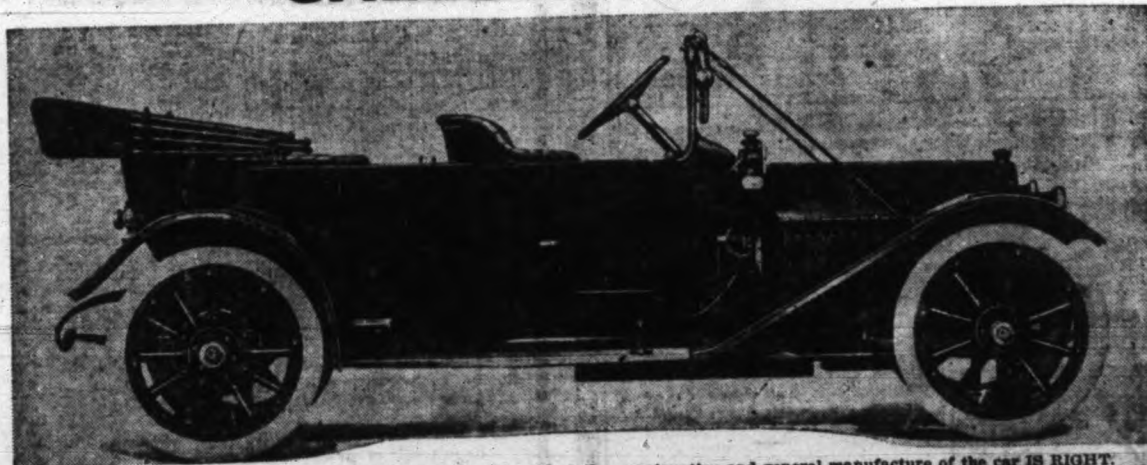
Seattle, March 8.—Danny O'Brien and Ray Campbell furnished the star bout in the Web Pressmen's four-round smoker at Dreamland last night. Campbell was always willing to take a punch in order to land one; he earned a draw. French Vaise and Billy Williams boxed a draw, and Romeo Hagen and Pat Dorian struggled four rounds with honors even.

Tommy Clark secured a hair-line decision over Tommy Martin, Givens and Mosler fought a draw, as did Kraiger and Brown, and Ad Schaffli made Ping Bodie quit in the first round. Adolph Schlicht refereed all the contests.

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SPORTING NEWS

(CONTINUED)

ONLY ONE HAND.

The German Olympic authorities, who are in charge of the arrangements for the next Olympic games in 1916, have decided, subject to the confirmation of the international committee, to eliminate from the Berlin programme the shot putting and discus and javelin throwing with both hands and to return to the old method, by which the competitor was allowed to use his best hand.

MEEK MAY RETIRE

A report has gained currency in the city that Harry Meek, the popular catcher of Victoria Baseball Club, is seriously thinking of retiring permanently from the game.

SCHOOL RUGBY

The University School and Central played a draw rugby match, 0-0, at the University grounds yesterday afternoon.

SOCCER'S RECORD

The record attendance for a football match was at the International match between Scotland and England, at Hampden Park, on March 23, 1912. There were 127,307 spectators present. The gate receipts amounted to \$5,197 15s, and stands and enclosures \$1,800, making a total of \$6,997. The previous record was at the international match between Scotland and England on the same ground on April 4, 1905, when 121,452 spectators paid for admission. The receipts amount to \$4,762 10s—\$5,975 10s, being taken at the gates and \$1,837 on the stands. The taking on the corporation tramways for the day amounted to \$4,394.

HUNT CLUB GYMKHANA.

Many interesting events on the card for coming tournament—New Members Elected.

The following is the programme for the coming gymkhana of the Victoria Hunt Club.

Binding competition (open to members of any recognized hunt or polo club), Gretna Green race, polo ball race (heats of three), thread the needle race, stake race, costume race, cigarette and parasol race, saddle race, three-furlong race, jumping (ladies), jumping (gentlemen), two-mile hurdle race, two miles and a half hurdle race. The entry fee is 50 cents for one to ten, inclusive, or \$4 for the ten events. Event number 11, \$1; and event number 12, \$2.

The Hunt Club has elected several new members recently who are all well mounted, so that good entries are assured. It is expected that the Vancouver Hunt Club and the Duncan Polo Club will also send representatives. The Victoria Polo Club has recently received a shipment of some twenty-five ponies.

MONSTER POLO TOURNAMENT.

Preparation Being Made for Gathering in New York—Men Selected.

Members representing the National Polo Association and the Meadowbrook Club were selected yesterday to make arrangements for the international polo tournament in June. A string of ponies will be shipped by Walter Dupree to Lakewood, N. J., for the opening of the American practice games in April.

The men selected for the controlling body representing the Meadowbrook Club are August Belmont, Jr., Jas. A. Burden, Jr., and J. A. Rawlins. From the National Association, W. A. Hazard, Joshua Crane and H. L. Herbert were chosen. Mr. Herbert says that all preparations for the matches will be shortly concluded.

CHURCH LEAGUE BASKETBALL.

Two basketball games in the Sunday School Athletic League series will be played in the Y. M. C. A. to-night. At 8.15 the first game will be between Metropolitan and Centennial Methodists. R. E. Crompton will referee. At 9 o'clock the league leaders, the Congregationalists, will play Jamaica Bay Methodists. H. S. Young will handle the whistle.

SOME PRIZE LIST.

Vancouver, March 8.—With the first prize for the five-men team event at \$400, the two-man event at \$250 and the high individual prize at \$150, and with the other prizes which will be given totalling close to \$3,000, indications point to one of the greatest bowling tournaments ever held on the Pacific coast being staged in Vancouver during the week of April 7.

McFARLAND WINS VICTORY.

New York, March 8.—Packy McFarland, the Chicago lightweight, easily outpointed Jack Britton in ten rounds of good fighting at Madison Square gardens last evening, and demonstrated himself a clever boxer, but Britton, who recovered in the last, showed himself a hard hitter.

The first round was fairly even. The next three rounds were McFarland's on points, and the eighth also went to his credit, although his face and body had been found frequently by Britton's blows. Packy swung a right to the head in the ninth, but accepted much more than he delivered in this round. The final round was Britton's, but the honors of the fight went to McFarland. There was a good deal of betting, with McFarland the favorite at 7 to 10.

INVITED TO JOIN COEUR D'ALENE FETE

An invitation has been received from the chamber of commerce of the Coeur d'Alene district, Idaho, to send crews to the regatta set for the Independence Day celebrations. Vancouver, Portland and Nelson crews have also been invited. Owing to the proximity of the N. P. A. A. O. dates, which will take place on the Indian River, North Arm, in the second week of July, it is doubtful if crews will be sent for that date.



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TIKE DUNDERDALE.



SKINNER POULIN.

Victoria will not lack for material from which to build up a winning lacrosse club, and a trio of Victoria's coming champions in the P. C. H. A. have announced their intentions of getting out and trying for the local

twelve. Dunderdale, Poulin and Rowe have all played lacrosse in the east, and with their hockey experience they should be able to make good with a rush. Dunderdale is a finished stick-handler, while Rowe and Poulin are

home players of no mean ability. Sibby Nichols, the Vancouver spare, would also like to locate in the capital this summer, together with Fld Cumming and Dot Phelan, Cornwall boys who were with Vancouver last year.

GETTING NEAR TO BOAT RACE TO-DAY

London, March 8.—With the long-looked-for event only four days away, Oxford rowed a full course trial yesterday, paced by several Thames crews from Putney to Mortlake in 21 minutes 22 seconds. The tow-paths on both the Middlesex and Surrey banks were thickly lined with people, especially at the starting point. The famous Leander boat house balcony was crowded with well-known oarsmen.

Considering the ideal conditions which prevailed the Oxford time was not particularly good, although half a minute faster than the time done by Cambridge some days ago over the full course. The latter, however, had to battle with a head wind and choppy water.

The final training is now in full swing. With the one-and-only "Dicky" Bourne at stroke oar, Oxford has won the last four races, one being in record time. Last year, it will be remembered, both boats were swamped in the Chiswick reach, through an abnormal wind storm. This year, however, the crews are very equally matched, and he would be a bold prophet who would forecast either way.

The extraordinary interest which is being taken in the race augurs a record crowd for the great day next Wednesday. Oxford was out to-day for half an hour's hard practice.

ARCADES DEFEAT TWO JACKS

The Arcade team defeated the Two Jacks in the best match rolled this winter by making the fine total of 2,822 as against 2,644, at the Brunswick alleys, Thursday. Turner, of the Arcades, had high score, 223, and Brown high average, 196.

LEAVE TO CONFER WITH MIKE.

President Wattleet and Secretary McConnell, of the Victoria Ball Club, left yesterday for Tacoma for a final conference with Manager Mike Lynch previous to the opening of the training season here on March 17. They will return early next week.

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NO CONTEST FOR ALLAN CUP.

O. H. A. Champions Refuse to Go to Winnipeg—Will Play a Game in Toronto.

Toronto, Ont., March 8.—Toronto R. and A. A., the O. H. A. senior champions, have about decided not to go to Winnipeg for the Allan cup. The Winnipeg holders have refused to take part in an all-Canadian championship tournament in Toronto, but arrangements are now under way to have them come here to play the Torontonians. Nothing definite has yet been done, but the visit will in all probability be made at an early date.

MINIATURE RIFLE SCORES

Class A.	
M. Lohrman	30
C. G. Gordon	30
W. J. Tanner	30
Capt. E. J. Gollup	30
J. B. Tighe	30
D. McNicol	30
T. G. Thomas	30
Lieut. W. Whisby	30
S. Williams	30
A. C. Kennedy	30
W. H. Bailey	30
G. H. Llewellyn	30
W. Hall	30
E. E. Hardwick	30
J. Wilman	30
Sergt. W. H. Dobson	30
Sergt. A. H. Dobson	30
Class B.	
W. Lynn (spoon winner)	30
W. H. Evans	30
L. Heller	30
H. W. Oliver	30
N. Kennedy	30
W. R. Cooke	30
W. Shilcock	30
C. Coutts	30
A. McPhee	30
G. G. Carter	30
R. S. Greig	30
E. Chafe	30
Class C.	
H. Burton	30
E. Rutlan	30
T. H. Christy	30
D. McQueen	30
G. W. Harper	30
N. Christy	30

LANGFORD LOST IN THE COURTS

Sydney, N. S. W., March 8.—By a unanimous decision of the Full court, Hugh McIntosh has been upheld in his demand to Sam Langford's complaint against the promoter in which he demands money, said to be due him from McIntosh. The colored boxer was given fourteen days in which to amend his complaint.

VICTORIA LAWN

HOCKEY STARS

MEET VANCOUVER

The Victoria Ladies' Hockey team will meet the Vancouver team at the Oak Bay park, on Saturday, March 8, at 1.15. The Victoria line-up will be as follows:

Goal—Miss Ralph. Fullbacks—Misses Vincent and Willie. Halfbacks—Misses Christopher, Cotsworth and Nason. Forwards—Misses Vato, Jackson, Briggs, Grant and Hall. In the evening a dance will be held in the Alexandra Club in honor of the visiting team.

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 RAINCOATS, worth \$7.50. Re-organization price \$3.95
 HIGH CLASS IMPORTED RAINCOATS that sold to \$15. Sale price \$6.45
 THE FINEST RAINCOATS, including English Gabardines, worth to \$25. Sale price, only \$9.85
 MEN'S SHIRTS, prices 75¢ to \$1.00. Re-organization price 35¢
 CLETT, PEABODY SHIRTS, worth \$2 and \$2.50. Sale price \$1.15
 MEN'S SHIRTS, white and fancy patterns. Price \$1.50 and \$1.75. Re-organization price 85¢
 HIGH CLASS FLANNEL SHIRTS, with separate collars, worth to \$2.50. Sale price, each \$1.35
 MEN'S UNDERWEAR, worth 75¢ and \$1.00. Re-organization price 35¢
 MEN'S SILK Lisle UNDERWEAR, worth to \$2.50 garment. Sale price \$1.25

MEN'S HOSE, sells at 15¢ and 20¢. Re-organization price 5¢
 15¢ AND 25¢ HOSE SUPPORTERS. Sale price 5¢
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 SILK TIES, worth to 50¢. Re-organization price 15¢
 UNION MADE OVERALLS, \$1. Re-organization price 65¢
 50¢ FANCY CASHMERE HOSE 25¢
 \$4.00 and \$5.00 FANCY KNITTED VESTS. Each \$1.95
 25¢ TIES, all colors 10¢
 20¢ and 25¢ SHOP CAPS 5¢
 MEN'S FINE TWEED PANTS, worth to \$2.50. Now 95¢
 MEN'S FINE PANTS, in grey stripes. Regular price to \$3.50. Re-organization price, per pair \$1.65
 MEN'S PURE WORSTED TROUSERS, worth \$4 to \$6. Re-organization price \$2.95
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BOOK DISAPPEARS FROM CITY VAULT

Will Probe Mystery of the Street Committee Book's Abstraction

WHAT BECAME OF THE YEAR'S RECORD?

Coincides With Date When New Mayoralty Election Was Ordered

The minute book containing the record of the streets committee of the city council for 1912 is missing from the vaults, and has so been since February 11.

There has been some anxiety for three weeks in the city clerk's office about the missing volume, but it was hoped that the book would return as mysteriously as it had disappeared. The hope of recovering the precious document nerved the officials to wait.

Recognizing at last that there was no expectation of its discovery, however, Mayor Morley broke the news to the aldermen last evening and asked them if any of them had used the book for reference and neglected to return it.

None, however, had done so, and Alderman Cuthbert suggested it was a case for the detective department. The only object the mayor could see anyone would have in taking the record as to how particular members voted in committee. The business was ordinarily reported to the council, but not this information.

The impression prevails that the book was stolen from the vault in mistake for the record of the council proceedings. As far as is definitely known the book was used to take minutes on February 7, and on the eighth day of that month Committee Clerk J. M. F. Telfer entered the minutes up. This was a Saturday, and on the Monday he had no occasion to use the volume. On the Tuesday he was away from the office indisposed, and on his return on Wednesday the book was discovered to be missing. Since then the search has gone forward high and low through the city hall without any clue as to its whereabouts.

The Tuesday referred to was the day that the Court of Appeal declared for a new mayoralty election. It is thought that the book was abstracted to prevent its being used in case a necessity arose for it during the second mayoralty campaign.

A thorough investigation will be continued in order that the mystery may be cleared up.

TRANSFER PROPERTY SOLD

Pacific Company Disposes of Site and Business to Different Interests.

The site of the Pacific Transfer Company's premises on Fort street has been sold, the necessary papers only having been completed next week by the owners, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kent. The transfer represents a total of some \$40,000 to \$50,000. Mr. Kent has also had a bid for the business from separate interests, and this will probably be sold to the persons inquiring for it. In fact the negotiation is regarded as concluded, and has been delayed only on account of the reluctance to dispose of the transfer business prior to the sale of the site upon which it has been conducted.

Hudson's Bay Building—Commissioner H. T. Lockyer, of Vancouver, accompanied by his wife and son, are in the city, and are staying at the Empress hotel for the week-end. Mr. Lockyer stated to the Times this morning that beyond the announcement recently made here that the company intends to erect a store in Victoria he knows nothing of the preparations which are to be made for the commencement of construction.

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"Provincial" Elections Act

Sanction Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given that the list of voters for the Sanction Electoral District has been cancelled, and that applications to be placed on the Voters' List will be received at my office at Tennyson avenue, Maywood, where printed forms of affidavit to be used in support of an application to vote will be supplied.

The list of persons claiming to vote will be suspended from and after the seventh day of April, 1913, and a Court of Revision will be held on the nineteenth day of May, and notice of objections to the list may be given to me thirty clear days before the holding of the Court of Revision.

Dated this 3rd day of March, 1913.
WILLIAM CHAMBERLAIN
Registrar of Voters for the Sanction Electoral District, B. C.

GENERAL CONSENT WILL NOT BE GIVEN

Attorney-General Requires Evidence Submitted in Specific Cases

"In reply I beg to state that it is not the practice of this department to give a general consent to all prosecutions under the Lord's Day Act, but if the city officials undertake the responsibility of a prosecution in any particular case and bring the facts to my attention, then each case will be dealt with individually upon its own merits, and after giving the matter due consideration, I will either give my consent or refuse in accordance with the view I take in the particular case."

In these words the attorney-general indicates his opinion with regard to the application of the city council to have the Lord's Day Act enforced in this city. Under the act it is necessary for the attorney-general's consent to be secured before proceedings can be initiated in any province. After a long debate earlier in the week, the city council carried the motion by eight votes to three.

MUNICIPAL CHAPTER HAS ANNUAL MEETING

The regent, Mrs. Henry Croft, presided at the annual meeting of the Municipal Chapter of the Daughters of Empire held yesterday afternoon at the Alexandra Club, an excellent attendance of members being recorded, and the various reports showing the organization as a whole and in its individual branches had progressed wonderfully during the past year.

During the afternoon the election of officers was held, Mrs. Jenkins being elected to the office of regent following the resignation of Mrs. Croft; Mrs. Gordon, first vice-president; Mrs. Matthews, second vice-president; Mrs. Hastings, secretary (re-elected); Mrs. Turner, assistant secretary; Mrs. Curtis Sampson, treasurer (re-elected).

The regent's address pointed to the work which had been accomplished during the past year, and referred to the organization of a number of new chapters, including the Navy League chapter, which had been formed during her absence in England, and the Equimault chapter, the most recently organized of any. In her address Mrs. Croft referred to the splendid work done by the late Captain Scott, and the secretary was instructed later in the day to send a letter of sympathy to Lady Scott, widow of the explorer.

The secretary, Mrs. H. C. Hamilton, read her annual report, while the treasurer's statement, read by Mrs. Curtis Sampson, showed a satisfactory balance in the bank. The organizing secretary for the Municipal Chapter, Mrs. R. S. Day, also read a very well-prepared statement of the work accomplished during the past year.

Mrs. Day announced the arrangements in connection with the organization meeting of the Provincial Chapter which is to take place here next Friday, March 14. Sixteen delegates are expected from Vancouver, among these being Lady Tupper, Mrs. Henshaw, Mrs. Lefevre and Madame Martin. The meeting, which will take place at the Alexandra Club, will commence at 2.30 p. m., and in the evening a social gathering will be held.

DR. FRIEDMANN IS INVITED TO B. C.

Request Tendered Famous Savant to Conduct Experiments in Tranquillity

Dr. Friedmann, the noted German physician, whose treatment for tuberculosis is now attracting the attention of the world, has been invited by Hon. Dr. Young, as head of the department of public health, to visit this province and conduct some of his experiments or demonstrations at the Tranquillity sanatorium.

As yet no reply has been received from Dr. Friedmann, who is now in New York, but it is sincerely hoped by all that his answer will be in the affirmative.

ACTIVITY ON E. & N.

Excavations For New Steel Bridges Being Rapidly Completed—Lumber Mills Busy.

Good progress on all the Equimault & Nanaimo Railway extensions is reported this morning by the general superintendent, H. E. Beasley, who also states that the excavations for some of the new steel bridges which will replace the old trestle have been commenced. At Arbutus Canyon the excavations are practically complete and the foundations will be commenced almost immediately.

The lumber mills along the various lines are all extremely busy, hence there is a good deal of freight activity along those routes.

Lecture on "Perpetual Health."—On Tuesday evening, March 11, at 8 o'clock, Harry Gaze, of Seattle, will give a free lecture at the Alexandra Club hall on the subject of "Life Building," "Perpetual Health, Youth and Efficiency."

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BRITISH FOOTBALL

London, March 8.—The fourth round of the English Association football cup was played to-day, and resulted as follows: Sunderland 6, Newcastle United 0; Astonville 5, Bradford 0; Oldham Athletic 1, Everton 0; Burnley 1, Blackburn Rovers 0.

League games resulted as follows: First division: Derby County 2, Bolton Wanderers 3; Woolwich Arsenal 1, Manchester City 0; Manchester United 2, Notts County 1; Tottenham Hotspur 1, Liverpool 0; Chelsea, West Bromwich Albion 0.

Second division: Barnsley 1, Leicester Fosse 0; Blackpool 2, Notts Forest 2; Bristol City 2, Lincoln City 0; Bury 0, Present north end; Plymouth 2, Stockport County 0; Huddersfield Town 3, Glossop 0; Leeds City 1, Hull City 0.

Southern League: Queens Park Rangers 1, Portsmouth 1; Brentford 0, Swindon Town 3; Gillingham 2, Westham United 2; Northampton 4, Exeter City 0; Southampton 0, Watford 1; Stoke 0, Crystal Palace 0; Reading 1, Coventry City 0; Plymouth Argyle 5, Brighton and Hove Albion 1; Millwall Athletic 4, Bristol Rovers 0.

London, March 8.—In the international Rugby match between Wales and Ireland at Swansea to-day the former won by sixteen points to 13 after a very close game.

Rugby Union games resulted as follows: Roslyn Park 2, Richmond 0; London Scottish 11, United Services 6; Blackheath 8, London Welsh 5; Leicester 12, Harlequins 3; Coventry 20, Northampton 3.

Glasgow, March 8.—Scottish cup games played to-day resulted as follows: Celtic 0, Hearts of Midlothian 1; Dundee 0, Clyde 0; Raith Rovers 2, St. Mirren 1; Dundee 0, Raith Rovers 2; St. Mirren 1, Hamilton Academicals 2; Third Lanark 1, Patrick Thistle 0; Hibernians 1, Motherwell 2; Kilmarnock 3, Aberdeen 1; Airdrieonians 5, Morton 1.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late Mrs. Alice Harris, 341 Broughton street, took place yesterday afternoon from the Hansen-Thomson parlors, Rev. Gilbert Cook officiating. The pallbearers

were: Messrs. J. Murkee, H. F. Bird, W. Wilson and J. E. Kay.

The funeral of the late Nels P. Jensen, a former employee of the Vancouver Power Company, who passed away at Jordan River on Thursday last, will take place on Monday afternoon at 2.30 from the Sands-Fulton undertaking parlors, Rev. Mr. Westheim officiating.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Josephine Hart, wife of F. Hart, took place yesterday from the B. C. funeral parlors, Rev. W. Leslie Clay officiating. There was a very large attendance of the deceased's friends, and many beautiful floral tributes covered the casket. The hymn, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," was sung by Mrs. T. J. Hardy during the service. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. Otto Weiler, Charles Weiler, A. I. Kirkpatrick and F. Cagellan.

The funeral of the late Sergeant William A. E. Dunkinson, who passed away last Wednesday at Work Point barracks, took place from the barracks this morning, the entire garrison attending the obsequies, in addition to a

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Administration Act and In the Matter of the Estate of William Alexander Vye, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Alexander Vye, late of Victoria, B. C., deceased, who died on or about the 15th day of January, 1913, are hereby required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administratrix of the said deceased, on or before the 27th day of March, 1913, their names and addresses and full particulars of their claims and demands in writing, duly certified, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

And notice is hereby also given that after that date the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice, and of which she shall then be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim or claims she shall have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, this 27th day of February, 1913.
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THE MASS MEETING of union carpenters is postponed until Wednesday next, March 13, 7 p. m., at Labor hall, Johnson St. m12

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TO RENT—5-room house at Willow, \$20 per month. Imperial Realty Co., 545 Easton St. m10

VICTORIA GAIAC SOCIETY shall hold a concert and dance, March 13, in Moose hall, Douglas street, opposite city hall. Gent's 50c, ladies free. m15

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—Bids wanted on carpenter work, plastering, plumbing, painting, etc., on residence, Elmer E. Green, architect, 616 Sayward Building. m11

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Farce Comedy.
"Making a Baseball Bug"
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"Warwick Chronicle"

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Victoria Carnival Week, August 4th to 9th, 1913.

R. Scarborough, of Tyee, is at the Dominion hotel.

William J. Pollock, of Vancouver, is at the Dominion hotel.

A. Ormston, of Vancouver, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

J. A. Fagenberg, of Seattle, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

G. B. Reid, of Aberdeen, Wash., is staying at the Dominion hotel.

A. C. Moss, of Vancouver, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

M. R. Williamson and family, of Winnipeg, are at the Hotel Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, of Calgary, are among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

W. D. F. Godwin and Mrs. Godwin, of Coquitlam, arrived at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

Edward T. Ryan and Mrs. Ryan, of Sacramento, Cal., are staying at the Dominion hotel.

George Jay left on a business trip to Vancouver last night. He will return here on Monday.

Isaac Tomlinson, a well known Port Angeles real estate man, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

M. J. Stevens, of Kamloops, is in the city for a few days and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

F. W. Law and Mrs. Law, of Vancouver, are staying at the Empress hotel for a few days.

E. B. Rivers, of Sacramento, Cal., arrived in town yesterday and registered at the Dominion hotel.

J. W. Grant and Mrs. Grant, of Valdez, Alaska, are among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

Peter J. Webb, of Antigonish, N. S., arrived in town yesterday and registered at the Dominion hotel.

J. S. Edwards, of Regina, arrived from the East yesterday and registered at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. Mawson, an expert on city planning, who recently lectured before the

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Canadian Club in Vancouver, will arrive in the city on Monday.

Mr. Julian left for Vancouver last night. He will return to the James Bay hotel to-morrow evening.

W. E. Wilson left for the interior last night. He does not expect to return to Victoria for several months.

R. L. Maltland, a Vancouver barrister, of the firm of Burns & Walken, is expected in the city on Monday.

The Vancouver girls' hockey team arrived here last night. They are staying at the Empress hotel while here.

Harry Chimes, a Vancouver financial man, has returned to the mainland after spending several days here.

Dr. Elliott S. Rowe, who is secretary of the Vancouver Progress Club, returned to the mainland yesterday afternoon.

F. P. Cook, a local financial man, is in Calgary on business, and is expected back here within the next few days.

A. McLean, a well known farmer from near Kamloops is in town on business for a few days and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. R. J. Robertson, 33 Linden avenue, will receive on Tuesday, March 11, from 4 to 6 o'clock. Mrs. Colin Matheson, of Winnipeg, will receive with her.

L. W. Shatford, member for the Stikine, who is the new general manager of the British Columbia Life Assurance Company, is expected in the city next Monday.

Alex Lucas, who has been ill at the Empress hotel for the past week, left for Vancouver yesterday afternoon. His son, F. G. T. Lucas, a Vancouver barrister, was here yesterday morning.

Fred Nelson, who has been staying at the Empress hotel for several weeks, expects to make a business trip to the mainland in the near future. He is one of the prominent manufacturers of New Westminster.

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THE EVENING CHIT-CHAT
By RUTH CAMERON

Once upon a time, when I was a little girl, I flunked an examination in a subject which I liked, and which I understood fairly well. And this was the reason: the time was rather short and I was nervous, and so, instead of concentrating on each problem, finishing that and going on to the next, I flunked, frantically from one to the other, and at the end of the time had only solved one problem out of five.

I am relating that and passage in my personal history because I so often think of it when I see myself and other workers dissipating energy by fluttering from one task to another.

For instance, the other day I started to dust the living room. As I was dusting the table I noticed that the lamp chimney needed washing, and I laid aside my duster, took the chimney out into the kitchen and washed it. While there, I stopped to make out the order list, and it was some time before I took up my dusting again.

I really meant to finish in a rush this time, but I only got as far as my desk. There my eye lit upon a library book which was due that day, and I hastened to the telephone to renew it. While at the phone I took the opportunity to call up the dressmaker.

On the way back to the living room I saw a spot on the hall carpet that ought to be cleaned at once, and—well, the upshot of the whole matter was that when a neighbor "dropped in" at 11 o'clock, I had not finished dusting the living room, though I started at half past nine.

Perhaps I'm more easily distracted than the average woman, but from what I have seen of other women, I should say that a great many of them frequently make the mistake of dissipating their energy this way.

For I think it is a mistake to flutter from one duty to another and it does dissipate one's energy.

Of course, each thing I interrupted myself to do was something that had to be done sooner or later, and, of course, each duty would take about the same length of time whenever it was done. And yet, though it may seem paradoxical, I still feel sure that one gets things done more quickly by sticking to one task until it is finished and then taking up another.

The shifting of one's attention, and the moving from one place to another—as in the case of my going out into the kitchen to wash the lamp chimney—eat up a little time, and since most of us find our day so terribly inadequate to do half our living in, even the littles of time must be looked after.

Ruth Cameron

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, March 8.—5 a. m.—The barometer remains decidedly high, and fine mild weather is general over the Pacific slope, with moderate northerly winds along the Coast. Mild weather is also becoming general in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.
For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fine and mild to-day and Sunday. Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fine and mild to-day and Sunday.

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.36; temperature, 34; minimum, 34; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.34; temperature, 40; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.32; temperature, 32; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.
Edmonton—Barometer, 29.93; temperature, 28; minimum, 34; wind, 14 miles N. W.; rain, .01; weather, part cloudy.
Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, 18; minimum, 18; wind, 8 miles N. W.; snow, .02; weather, part cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Friday.

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Average, 35.
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(Continued from page 1.)

session of the House lasts until after midnight.

F. B. Carvell said he was inclined to think the point of order was well taken. Though, he said, the House often sat until after midnight on Fridays, it was by consent. In this case exception had been taken by a member and the point was one which should be well considered.

The discussion was continued by E. A. Lancaster, Hon. L. P. Pelletier and others.

Finally, Deputy Speaker Blondin, who was in the chair, ruled against the contention of Mr. Lapointe on the score that there was no motion to adjourn before the House.

The raising of the point of order, it appears, was in the nature of a practical joke put up by the opposition at the expense of the majority. The Conservative whips, fearing that the opposition proposed to press the matter to a division, sent out a hurried call for members who had gone home to their beds, with the result that many of them rushed to the House in a state of excitement only to discover that the Liberals had no intention of dividing the House.

Premier Borden came to the House wearing evening dress shortly before the ruling was given. He criticized the point of order as an absurdity. Shortly after 1 o'clock Mr. Lapointe resumed his speech.

The Senate to-day adjourned until March 27.

Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, the deputy to the governor-general, attended at the senate chamber during the afternoon and gave his assent to a number of bills.

The all-week sitting of the House of Commons will come to a close at midnight, and despite the six-day fight the probabilities are that the business of the session will stand just where it did when the Speaker took the chair on Monday last at 3 o'clock. In a parliamentary sense this is still Monday, and it will continue to be Monday until the House rises.

The early morning hours passed without incident. G. H. Bolvin, of Shefford, continued the debate until about 4 o'clock. His speech was full of what the opposition considered to be good material, and Dr. Pugsley who was in charge for the Liberals, called attention to the failure of Hansard to provide adequate reports of Liberal speeches. He said it was a clear indication that the reporting staff was breaking down under the strain, and that the House should as a consequence adjourn.

Hon. J. D. Hazen, who was in charge for the government, declined to take any action, saying that the Hansard staff was in charge of a committee of the House.

"If it has been found that the debate has grown cumbersome, it is not the fault of the opposition. We are not

here to kill reporters, but we are willing to go on with the debate at any length. It has been an enjoyable week," said Dr. Pugsley. "More enjoyable than business-like," remarked a ministerial member.

Then, Mr. Bolvin resumed his speech. He said the Hansard staff should be increased unless the government felt inclined to shorten the session to something less than one day a week and 12 hours a day.

Mr. Bourassa, of Lévis, succeeded Mr. Bolvin at 4:30 and spoke until 4:50, when Dr. Molloy, of Provencher, continued the debate. He argued strongly in favor of the immediate introduction of a redistribution bill and an appeal to the people. The government, he said, was determined to force its proposal through the House without giving necessary information and without the opportunity for a full and fair discussion. The Liberals felt that there was a great issue at stake. "We have stayed here all week and we will probably stay here all next week," he remarked.

"Hear, hear," said A. C. Boyce. "We are prepared to stay," continued Dr. Molloy, "and we are glad to stay, because we believe we are thus best serving our country at the present juncture. This thing shall not be saddled upon the people of Canada without their having an opportunity to pass upon it."

Dr. Molloy concluded at 6:55. Dr. Pugsley and Frederick F. Pardee, of West Lambert, chief Liberal whip, then took up some time by pressing Mr. Hazen to bring down information. Dr. Pugsley deemed it unfortunate that the minister had not utilized a short portion of this one hundred hours to secure necessary information for parliament. Mr. Pardee said that the Liberals were being showered with messages from all parts of the country congratulating them on the fight they were making, and assuring them that the people were behind them.

Dr. Warnock, of MacLeod, took the floor at 6:30. He said he was a Scotchman by birth, and while he was at heart as loyal a Canadian as the native born, he looked at the matter largely from a British standpoint. Nothing was more calculated to do injury to the empire at home and abroad than the policy the government was pursuing.

Alphonse Verville, Mallesouevé, who commenced speaking at 7:30, addressed the House in French. He stated that he represented 200,000 labor men in Canada and viewed the issue largely from an economic standpoint. Labor men were not enthusiastic for naval expenditures, but they supported the policy of a Canadian navy because such would give employment to Canadian artisans. Not five per cent. of the people of Canada, he maintained, were in favor of a contribution, while labor men were practically a unit against it.

Mr. Verville was followed by Dr. Pugsley, who spoke till 9:45. Then E. W. Nesbitt, of North Oxford, held the floor until 11:50, when he was followed by W. H. White, of Victoria, Alberta. Mr. White urged the necessity of the introduction of a redistribution bill, and maintained that on a basis of re-

presentation in the House the majority of people are against the naval proposals. Canadians, he said, consider themselves quite as capable as other nationalities. In view of the statement by the prime minister a vote for the government proposals would be a vote of lack of confidence in Canadian people. Mr. White said that it costs more to erect buildings in Western Canada, but this does not prevent just as much a structure being put up. The navy question should be considered on a basis of cost. It was our duty to have a navy of our own like other nations of the world. We should not make an argument on the basis of cost, as Hon. L. P. Pelletier had done when he said that men for Canadian ships could be hired in England for 2 cents a day. Mr. White stopped at 12:30. He gave the House assurance that he had material available for another speech later on. Mr. Hughes, of Prince Edward Island, was the next speaker.

CHANGE TOWN'S NAME

G. T. P. Changes Name from Fort George to Prince George.

The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company announces that henceforth the ancient name of Fort George will no longer apply to the new city which is being built there. The name is changed to Prince George.

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I. O. O. F.
Meetings Next Week.

Monday—Victoria Lodge No. 1.

Tuesday—Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1.

Wednesday—Columbia Lodge No. 2.

Thursday—Dominion Lodge No. 4.

Friday—Canton Victoria No. 2. Competition committee.

Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1.

The degree of Rebekah will be conferred upon a number of candidates on Tuesday evening next. Visiting members are expected to attend. A very successful practice was held last night, and the work showed a marked improvement.

Vancouver Encampment No. 1.

Three candidates received the patriarchal degree on Tuesday evening last, and the work was put on in a very creditable manner.

Columbia Lodge No. 2.

The initiatory degree was exemplified in a satisfactory manner last Wednesday evening. The popular first degree will be put on by the degree team next Wednesday evening, and as it will be their first attempt at this degree a large attendance is expected.

Dominion Lodge No. 4.

This lodge conferred the initiatory degree upon several candidates on Thursday evening last. The second degree is slated for next Thursday.

Canton Victoria No. 2.

The regular meeting of the canton will be held on Friday evening next, and as important business will come up for consideration it is hoped that all members will be present.

Competition Committee.

A meeting of this committee is called for next Friday evening at 8 o'clock. It is necessary for all members to be present in order to have a thorough discussion as to what degree will be competed in, when it will be held, and the conditions governing the same. The last competition was successful from almost every viewpoint, and the majority of the members of the various lodges will no doubt welcome a second one. Although it means some extra work for the team captains, as they realize that anything in the nature of a competition is bound to stimulate interest in the degree work, and the attendance in consequence is much better, as members of each lodge are anxious to see how the degree team of their lodge compares with the others. As the present term has practically only commenced, there is plenty of time for a competition before the present officers vacate their chairs. All three lodges have excep-

tionally good officers at present, and to see them in competitive degree work should prove very interesting.

I. O. O. F. Ball.

The ball committee held a meeting last night at the hall and discussed the proposed ball from every viewpoint. It was decided to abandon the plan to hold the affair in the Knights of Pythias hall, as it seemed evident from the number who would attend that there would not be sufficient accommodation. The final decision of the committee was to hold the ball on Friday, April 4, in the Alexandra, thus changing the date and place as decided at a meeting held a week ago. Committees have been appointed to arrange other matters in connection with the event, and all are assured of one of the most successful affairs of the kind undertaken by the order in this city. Bro. T. Graham has charge of the catering. A first-class orchestra will be engaged, and the decorations will be looked after in a satisfactory manner. Tickets may be held from any member of the committee.

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The real force of the order is that all such expenditures shall be charged through the medical health department and shall not figure in the police accounts. In minor accidents where it will not hurt for a delay to occur before the arrival of the physician the medical health officer will attend to the injured patients himself.

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Motor Sales Company.
During the past week the Motor Sales Company has had two sales of machines, one, a 42 h.p. Oakland, going to Mr. Bradley, and a five-passenger R. C. H. touring car to John Hall. During the ensuing week delivery of a 6-cylinder Oakland and another model 42 Oakland is anticipated, and the following week a model of the 35 h.p. five-passenger Oakland is expected.

The Oakland is a conspicuous machine, owing to the exceptionally low chassis, and there is little doubt that the manufacturers in adopting this had excellent reason, as the centre of gravity is much lower, and the swaying action so familiar in the higher-slung bodies is appreciably lessened. The model 35 which is at present at the showroom, has an attractive appearance, the color of the tonneau being elephant grey, picked out with blue lines, and in every respect as handsome a machine as may be seen at the price. Mr. Davis, the factory representative, was here last Wednesday, and judging by his remarks, the model 35 is just as striking a car as the 42, and sells for only \$1,900. Mr. Davis, commenting on the enormous sale of cars this year, says that the factory has been running night and day in order to get out the requisite number of machines, and that this year about 14,000 cars will be the output.

The thousand-dollar prize announcement made by the Motor Sales Company has already created wide interest. This competition will give to one of the first ten purchasers of Oakland machines the sum of \$1,000 in gold. The purchasers will decide among themselves the manner of drawing for the prize, and, judging by the number of inquiries, the date of the drawing will be within a few weeks.

Vancouver Island Motor Company.
The Vancouver Island Motor Company is doing a remarkably brisk garage business at the present time, and there is ample evidence in this department of the awakening interest which Victorians are taking in automobilism now that the roads are opening up. Mr. Burman, who sold another of the big Chase trucks to the Green Lumber Company, speaking this week about the efficiency of one of the new electric self-cracking systems, referred to the demonstration made recently at one of the big automobile shows of one of these devices. The demonstration, which, taking place underneath plate glass covers, was easily seen, attracted a great deal of attention. An ordinary storage battery, such as is used on the car, is connected with the self-cracking system and the small electric motor, its gears meshing with

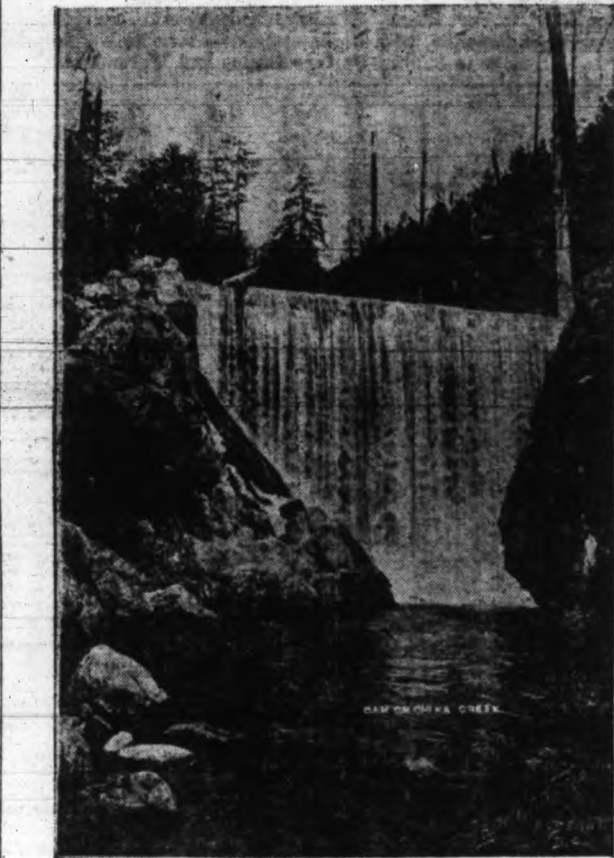


"MARK HANNA"
The well known landmark at Bonilla Point.

the fly wheel, revolves the motor, driving the clutch, and revolving the transmission.

The fact that the self-cracking system, which was born but a year ago, has reached the state of perfection where it operates the entire mechanism of the car for hours, is intensely interesting, and when it is pointed out that the road test was commenced on a Hudson car a year previous to the public announcement, and that this was carried on over the worst roads of ten states, the Alleghany mountains, Southern Canada, Missouri, the sandy plains of Michigan, the mud of Illinois, and the worst road conditions generally to be found, the demonstration as to its efficiency seems to require nothing further. A final indication of its efficacy is to be found in the fact that this self-starting device eliminates the possibility of cranking from the front of the car, confines all movements in the operating of the Hudson to the driver's seat.

Speedwell Company.
The Speedwell Company, Johnson street, has for some time past been waiting for deliveries of both Mitchell and Speedwell machines, and are at last practically assured of a delivery of Mitchell's within the course of the next few days. This will consist of a



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four-cylinder two-passenger car; a six-cylinder five-passenger (50 h. p.) car; and a four-cylinder five-passenger (40 h. p.) car. The Speedwell demonstrating car is anticipated within the next three or four weeks. Meantime the firm is doing quite an active business in accessories and garaging.

As proof of the appropriateness of the prefix of "Speedwell," nothing could be more aptly quoted than the fact that the first chiefs of both Victoria and Vancouver in machines of this type, the Vancouver chief having taken delivery of his car no less than three years ago, which, like "Johnny Walker" is "still going strong." The same might be said of the Victoria chiefs car, which, as everyone who lives in the city knows quite well, is capable of startling things, although in all due justice to the Vancouver machine, it must be said that the Victoria car is but one-third the age of the other.

The Speedwell is one of the few cars which has a rotary valve, a type of valve which, so the makers of Speedwells state, never requires grinding. The motor, they say, will retain its initial efficiency and silence, as far as the valves are concerned, during the entire life of the motor car. It is also asserted that this Speedwell rotary valve motor can only be paralleled by the steam engine in its steady application of power without jerk or variation. The six-cylinder rotary valve motor is as different in its action from the ordinary motor as the ordinary six-cylinder is different from the ordinary four-cylinder.

E. J. Cameron.
Speaking of the matter of silencing motor cars in operation, E. J. Cameron, local agent of the Paige-Detroit car, said that only a few years back one was aware of the approach of a motor long before it came into sight. This was by no means entirely due to the noise of the exhaust from the motor, but from the rapid movement of the reciprocating parts of the engine, pistons, connecting rods, driving shafts, valves, timing gears, and all the other small parts which helped to create such a wonderful vibration and suc-

cession of petty noises that it is to be wondered at that users of pleasure cars ever had the courage to pass beyond the initial stages of experimenting with them. The novelty no doubt kept many people at it until some new improvement made driving in this manner seem comparatively quiet. The difference between the cars of a few years ago and those of to-day shows very strikingly the improvement made in eliminating the noises of operation.

It was a comparatively easy matter, said Mr. Cameron, to silence the exhaust and other engine noises by properly designed and well-made mufflers, enclosing the valve mechanism, etc. But for some time the timing gears have been a centre of trouble, spur gears emitting a continuous growl and spiral gears proving only slightly better.

The last improvement, however, was the silent-chain drive, and the costliest cars were naturally the first to adopt this somewhat expensive improvement. The Paige 35, however, has adopted the principle, the "silent chain" being enclosed in an aluminum frame, and run in a continual bath of oil supplied by a plunger pump.

Wood Motor Company.
The Wood Motor Company reports great activity in every department, and

EUROPE IS BUYING AMERICAN MOTORS

DUPLICATING MACHINERY
PREVALENCE THE CAUSE

Manufacturers on This Continent Undersell the Old World Motor Makers

The dreaded American invasion will include large cars, says E. S. Foljambe in an editorial in the Automobile Trade Journal of Philadelphia. Many believe it to be simple talk, and that nothing serious will come of it, but those familiar with American manufacturing realize that the conditions here outlined make such an invasion not only possible, but very probable.

The first realization of the invasion of the European territory by American cars took place recently in connection with the shipment of some of the small well known American cars, which are produced in very large quantities. Before this American cars had been shipped abroad, but not in any quantity, and unfortunately by makers whose product did not have the best standing in America. These inferior cars were largely responsible for the adverse opinion which undoubtedly existed in Europe in regard to American made automobiles a few years ago.

Gradually, however, the well-made, quantity-produced cars of American factories began to cross the water, and the prejudice of the foreign buyer was rapidly dispelled.

Dealers Alarmed.
At first the foreign makers paid little or no attention to these cars, or laughed at them, as their body lines were very different from the European ones in vogue. But the gradual increase, and then suddenly the very marked increase in the number of these cars sold, caused the makers, particularly in England and then of France, to become alarmed.

For the first time in the history of the Paris show a large amount of space was devoted to exhibits of American low and medium priced cars. Some of these were fitted with the latest type of foreign bodies, and the prices in almost every case were lower than those of cars of the same capability and capacity, made in France.

The Reason Why
It may be asked how it is possible for the American makers to export cars and sell them in a foreign market for less money than the foreign makers can supply cars for their own market. The answer is simple: No place in the world is there the same use of high-grade duplicating machinery as in American factories; no place in the world is there such a market for automobiles as in the United States, and no place in the world has the quantity production of automobiles reached such a high state of perfection. These three facts alone are sufficient to account for the cheapness of well-made, low-priced American cars. What chance has a European maker who turns out from 500 to 500 cars a year, a large part of the work being done by hand, against factories which turn out 20,000, 40,000, 80,000 or 200,000 cars a year?

Up to this time the conditions just cited have existed only among low-priced cars, but it is predicted that gradually the higher priced American cars will be exported in increasing numbers, until European makers of these cars will also be seriously affected. This is but a natural evolution due to the quantity production of America, as even the makers of four and six-cylinder cars, which sell at \$2,000 and \$3,000, are turning them out in 1,000, 2,000 and even 4,000 lots, while a production of 500 would be very large indeed for most of the European builders in this class.



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From the Strathcona Lodge

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"Automobile trucks are becoming a necessity to the farmer and fruit grower," says H. E. Stimpson, of the American Automobile Company. "Take the case of a man growing fruit 50 miles from a railroad. Hauling his crops to the shipping point by a team is a long, tedious operation, while 50 miles to a truck is mere child's play."

Trucks to-day are built especially for hauling purposes and have nothing in common with the pleasure car. A truck can be operated successfully over any road that is passable to a team with the same load, and what is more to the point, it will do its work just as economically.

"It can be put to one hundred and one uses on the ranch. By hooking it on to a fall, it can hoist the hay or other stores up into the loft. By jacking up the rear axle and putting a belt on the rear wheels it becomes a most economical and efficient power plant and can be used for pumping water, threshing or, in fact, any purpose for which power is ordinarily required."

Effect of Good Roads.
"The roads are getting better all the time, and, of course, good roads mean more work for less money, either with horses or trucks. It is a fact that the condition of the roads is a sure indication of the amount of intelligence

and progressiveness possessed by any given community. When you find the roads in good condition, crowned intelligently to create good drainage, you put it down as a certainty that you are in an intelligent community just as surely as the reverse is true.

"Of course, these remarks do not hold true of a newly settled community, where there has been no time for road work, but even here, you will note signs of work started or neglected entirely, as the case may be, that to the observing passerby denotes the class of people there located."

Automobile Notes.
The Bijou theatre, of Huntington, W. Va., now delivers tickets to its patrons by motorcycle.

Ong, Neb., is the banner motorcycle town, figuring on a per capita basis.

Ong has about 300 inhabitants, and twenty-three of this number are motorcyclists.

"Motor cars are becoming less and less instruments of sport—more and more instruments of utility," says P. M. Pontius, sales manager of the Moir Tire and Rubber Company. "The craze for speed is giving way to a more practical demand for economical and reliable service. The light and medium powered machine for city and country use is vastly in the majority."

Members of the Automobile Club of Utah at a recent meeting in Salt Lake City drew up resolutions protesting that the imposition of a fine of \$50 as punishment for driving an automobile while intoxicated was entirely too light, and was likely to bring the law into disrepute.

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TAKE NOTICE that the Corporation of the City of Victoria intends to pass a Local Improvement Assessment By-law for each of the undermentioned streets, assessing upon the properties in the schedules hereinafter mentioned the sums of money for the length of time set opposite each said lot as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 202

Superior Street from Government Street to St. Lawrence Street—Grading, Draining and Paving with a Light Standard Asphaltic Pavement and Constructing Curbs and Gutters on Both Sides of Said Street, Also Lateral Connections to Sewers, Surface Drains and Water Mains.

NAME OF OWNER	Subd- Section	Block	Front	Rate Per Ft. Front	General Improvements	Water Front	Surface Drainage	Water Charges	10 Years Front	Total	
Provincial Government	1	1718-23	60	122.1	\$5.45	\$671.40			\$678.61	\$67.86	\$746.47
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Hunter, Frances Ellen	11	"	60	59.		211.85	17.89		229.74	22.97	252.71
Hunter, Frances Ellen	12	"	60	59.		211.85	17.89		229.74	22.97	252.71
Anderson, Jane	1	1723-4	"	48.8		238.20			238.20	23.82	262.02
Anderson, Jane	2	1723-4	"	48.8		238.20			238.20	23.82	262.02
Smith, John	3	1723-4	"	48.8		238.20			238.20	23.82	262.02
Boss, Carlo (Est.)	1	1725	"	66.		360.96	17.89		378.85	37.88	416.73
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BY-LAW NO. 370

Stanley Avenue from Pandora Avenue to Pembroke Street—Grading, Draining and Paving, Constructing Permanent Sidewalks With Curbs and Gutters on Both Sides of Said Avenue, Also Lateral Connections to Sewers, Surface Drains and Water Mains.

NAME OF OWNER	Sub-Block	Block	Section	Front	Rate Per Ft. Front	General Improvements	Water Connections	Surface Drainage	Water Connections	Total	10 Years Annual Payment	Total 10 Yrs. Am't Payable
Wright, H.	12	2-3	Fernwood	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
McTavish, Jas. & Donald....	13	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
McTavish, Jas. & Donald....	14	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Nash, Harry G.	15	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Kinnaird, Mary	16	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Mitchell, Wesley N.	17	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Berkeley, Lucinda A.	18	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Goss, J. W.	19	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
McNeill, Angus E.	20	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Whittington, William	21	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Whittington, Emily	22	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Hale, Georgia	23	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Hale, Richard H.	24	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Hale, George W.	25	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Renouf, Joseph	26	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Renouf, Joseph	27	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Kling, Robert H.	28	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Leeming, Broas	29	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Noel, John F.	30	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Noel, John F.	31	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Clemett, Alfred	32	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Trus, Knox Pres. Church....	33	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Trus, Knox Pres. Church....	34	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
McNann, J.	35	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Warren, W.	36	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Chapman, Richard	37	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Waddell, Agnes	38	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Graves, Mary G.	39	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Perdue, G. M. et al.	40	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Hosel, C. A.	41	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Todd, R. McQuinn	42	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
King, Catherine	43	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
King, Catherine	44	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Drew, John E.	45	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Drew, Miss M. D. & M. L.	46	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Morrison, R. G.	47	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
McTavish, D. and Mrs.	48	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Wilson, William C.	49	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Wilson, William C.	50	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Hayward, Sidney C.	51	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Broadstreet, F. H.	52	2-3	"	54	\$1.00	\$1.00				\$2.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Total											\$12,829.20	\$12,829.20
City's share											\$1,417.80	\$1,417.80
Total											\$14,247.00	\$14,247.00

BY-LAW NO. 263

Fort Street, from Oak Bay Avenue to Richmond Avenue—Grading, Draining and Paving With an Asphaltic Pavement and Constructing Curbs and Gutters on Both Sides of Said Street, Also Lateral Connections to Sewers, Surface Drains and Water Mains.

NAME OF OWNER	Subdi- vision	Lot	Block	Section	Ft. Front	Rate Per Ft. Front	General Improve- ments.	Water Con- nection.	Surface Conne- tion.	Water Conne- tion.	Total	10 Years Annual Payment	Total 10 Yrs. Am't Payable	
Lease, Mrs. B. W.	B. pt. 1	1	Pt. 28	Fernwood	584	\$7.02	2-3	\$208.62	\$161.76	\$62.30	\$951.82	\$864.25	\$8,642.50	
Wood, Thomas		583						\$118.27	73.30	783.00				
Walton, Celia		582						\$99.75	82.35	823.50				
Arvestor, C. B.		581						\$81.26	64.16	641.60				
Clarke, W. H.		580						\$62.74	47.39	473.90				
Clarke, Elizabeth M.		579						\$44.25	55.73	557.00				
McCart, W. Y.		578						\$25.80	45.86	458.60				
Morton, W. Y.		577						\$7.02	43.22	432.20				
Morton, Mrs. H. D.		576						\$128.94	55.70	557.00				
Moore, Robert		575							43.22	432.20				
Beames, George E.	A B C D Rutland	84	Pt. 12	32-4	574						105.40	125.00	125.00	
Rutland, Lucy M.		573									30.00	304.81	335.50	335.50
Rutland, Lucy M.		572										154.35	45.75	457.50
Preston, Adam F. R.		571										317.51	87.47	874.70
Preston, Adam F. R.		570										434.32	55.70	557.00
Richards, W. J.		569										468.06	60.05	600.50
Richards, W. J.		568										468.06	60.05	600.50
Costello, P. J.		567										117.50	22.05	220.50
Costello, P. J.		566										161.76	71.70	717.00
Christie, E. J.		565											93.85	70.35
Marchant, William	564									568.81	71.62	716.20		
Sherritt, Mary J.	563									548.35	70.35	703.50		
Sharpe, Kendrick	562									514.57	60.00	600.00		
Sharpe, Kendrick	561									748.52	86.05	860.50		
Bowen, Mary C.	560									351.35	60.00	600.00		
Leiser, Max, et al.	Pt. 8	14	2-6, 14-18	8-3	559						497.02	63.75	637.50	
Leiser, Max, et al.		558									10.00	510.78	95.50	950.50
Leiser, Max, et al.		557									10.00	1,112.02	125.00	1,237.00
Leiser, Max, et al.		556									10.00	538.41	67.89	678.90
Leiser, Max, et al.		555									10.00	505.69	61.90	619.00
Leiser, Max, et al.		554									10.00	504.37	64.75	647.50
Leiser, Max, et al.		553									10.00	708.35	81.35	813.50
Leiser, Max, et al.		552									10.00	385.09	43.40	434.00
Leiser, Max, et al.		551									10.00	397.81	51.05	510.50
Leiser, Max, et al.		550									10.00	397.81	51.05	510.50
Wong Jan Wey, et al.	549									394.07	46.70	467.00		
Moffatt, Adam B.	548									364.07	46.70	467.00		
Dunn, Robert, Sr.	547									364.07	46.70	467.00		
Marigson, Mary E.	546									397.81	51.05	510.50		
White, John L.	545									198.12	24.90	249.00		
White, John L.	544									212.65	27.40	274.00		
White & Bannerman	543													
					3201.3		\$23,404.45	\$765.00	\$462.36	\$340.00	\$34,677.49	\$3,093.05	\$36,870.54	

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INDIFFERENT MILK IS STILL SUPPLIED

City Medical Officer's Report Shows City is in Healthy Condition

The medical officer of health (Dr. G. A. B. Hall) in his monthly report to the city council for the month of February, presented last evening, referred to the success of City Analyst Birch in passing his examination as food examiner, and the arrival of the incubator, to which matters reference has already been made in the Times.

He says in part: "There were 17 cases treated at the isolation hospital; six scarlet fever, five diphtheria, two measles, two mumps and one erysipelas. Of these, two cases of diphtheria were from without the city. There were no deaths. There were 39 indigent patients treated at the Jubilee hospital, a total number of 243 days."

Of the milk samples analyzed the following comments were made: P. Holway, "poor quality"; C. King, "much below standard"; R. E. Knowles, "below standard," and N. W. Creamery, "deficient in fat." Satisfactory samples were analyzed from the following: E. & T. Raper, Longland (2 samples), N. W. Creamery (good), Day & Roberts, Smith, Mrs. Franks, F. Luff, Welch, Mitchell, J. Hampton, D. Blythe, Fay, cett, Landry, C. Whittier, J. Rogers, Blagburn, Johnson, Buchanan, Singh, C. King (good), G. Wilkinson, Bridger, Victory & Burgess, Sims Bros. (two samples), and G. Rogers.

Alderman Gleason alluded to the poor quality of some of the milk, and hoped the paper would publish the names.

Alderman Cuthbert deprecated "black-mailing" vendors, but said the regular course of prosecution in the courts would be fairer.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY CANVASSES VICTORIA

Campaign Commenced This Week—Work to Continue in New Hospital

During the last few days the women's auxiliary of the Jubilee hospital has instituted a campaign for new members. The fact that a new hospital is now well assured in no way lessens the responsibilities which the ladies have taken upon themselves, although the work will be less varied, and the greater responsibility will come more through the greater number of wards and patients than through the inefficiency of the hospital itself, as at present. For several years past the auxiliary has undertaken to supply to the hospital a great number of comforts which would otherwise have been wanting, or which would have demanded a much heavier hospital maintenance fund than that institution was granted.

As instances of work which the women will not be called upon to do in the new hospital are the supplying of office furniture, the installation of electric light, the erection of a children's ward, and assisting in the building of a tuberculosis ward. All these things were accomplished by them in the present building, in addition to which they have distributed their attentions about the hospital in the form of blankets, much-needed linen, crockery, flowers, garden chairs for invalids who otherwise would have been deprived of the sunshine, Christmas fare, and numerous other indispensable comforts which would have been sorely missed by both patients and nurses.

The object of the canvassing is for the purpose of getting new subscribers, and although ladies may become members, and very efficient members, by doing no other service than paying their two dollars' fee annually, those who wish to take a more active part may do so by taking up a district to canvass for new members. All would-be members and subscribers are expected to report on Tuesday afternoon at the Alexandra Club, when Mrs. Ballantine, the women's auxiliary secretary, and Mrs. Otto Weller, convener of the canvassing committee, will be in attendance to take names and fees.

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Ladies' PILLS
See the advertisement in the Times for all details. Sold by all chemists and druggists. Do not fail to get them. Sold by all chemists and druggists. Do not fail to get them.

Do You Know

That one of the best buys on Pandora St. is 60x60, with a 10 1/2 foot alley, just back of the Prince George hotel. The announcements of the Hudson's Bay Co. and the B. C. Electric Ry. in this locality will surely make this a lively section. The price is

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MAPLE STREET, G. N. Ry. Trackage, 47 x 120; terms \$5000
NORTH PARK ST., just above Blanchard, 32 x 145, with house, store and stables; terms \$15,000
YATES STREET, just above Vancouver, 20 x 120; terms \$9000
DOUGLAS STREET, between Chatham and Discovery, 20 x 90; terms \$16,000

VICTORIA CARNIVAL WEEK—Aug. 4 to 9, 1913

Any One of These is a Good Safe Buy

Good enough to tempt anyone. We haven't three better buys at the money in our entire listings. The localities are right, and the property and prices are right. Speak for one of them quickly if you want it.

Dean Avenue—100x114. Price, on terms \$1900
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NIAGARA STREET, just outside one mile circle, on car line, close to Beacon Hill Park and sea, fine thoroughly well built bungalow, six rooms, bathroom, pantries, etc., cement basement, furnace. Large lot, 55x130. Nice garden. Terms, one-quarter cash, balance 1 and 2 years. Price, only \$8500

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SUBDIVISIONS

17.90 ACRES, just west of Cedar Hill Road and inside 3 1/2 mile circle, all subdivided into 96 large lots. Terms, \$9000 cash, balance 6, 12, 18, 24 months at 7%. Price \$34,000
MAPLEWOOD ROAD, inside the 2 1/2 mile circle, 55 large lots, high location. Terms one-quarter cash, balance easy. Price, per lot \$630
GOSWORTH ROAD, splendid subdivision containing 30 lots, all surveyed, inside 1 1/2 mile circle. Good terms. Price \$30,000
QUADRA STREET, on the 1 1/4 mile circle, 24 extra large lots. Splendid residential property and should bring buyer a handsome profit. Price and terms on application.

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Burdock Avenue

Lot 52x120. Close to Uplands car line. Terms, cash \$650, balance 6, 12, 18 months. Price \$1500

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3-ROOMED NEW HOUSE; garage, barn, stable, all conveniences; 2 large lots, big flower garden. Price \$2,000
3 ACRES, 4-roomed house, all the land is in pasture. Very easy terms. Price \$2,500
10 ACRES, a good amount cleared and fenced, 5-roomed house, close to water, where most probably the Canadian Northern docks will be. Price \$5,000
DUNSMUIR STREET LOT—Nice, level lot, all in grass. Price \$2,250
NEW HOUSE AND NEW FURNITURE, close to train car. Price \$2,500
12 ACRES overlooking Elk Lake. Price, per acre \$117
2 LOTS AND NEW HOUSE. Price \$2,150

A Client of Ours Is Desirous of Trading Two Lots

Situate in Oak Bay, valued at \$3,200 as first payment on modern house close in.



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Fairfield Is Always Good Buying

CHAPMAN STREET, facing south, between Linden and Howe streets, 40x141; terms over two years \$1950
HOWE STREET, lot 129; one of the best view lots on the street, 50x116. Price \$2800
WELLINGTON AVENUE, between Faithful and Dallas Road, 50x116. Price \$2625
FAITHFUL STREET, facing south, 48x100 \$3000
LINDEN AVENUE, near Dallas Road, 50x116 \$3150
Reasonable terms may be secured on any of the above properties.

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APPLICATIONS.

For the position of Assistant Wiring Inspector, accompanied by testimonials, references, etc., will be received at the office of the undersigned until Monday, the 18th day of March inst., at 2 P. M. Salary attached to the position at the rate of \$100 per month.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B. C., March 4th, 1913.

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Ker Ave., next corner Tillikum road \$1,050
Ker Ave., 1 block from Tillikum road 850
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Obed Ave., water main on street 825
Walter Ave., near Tillikum 1,000
Walter Ave., splendid high lots 825
Davida Ave., 2 lots, 102x100 1,500
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These are a few of the good buys we have in this district. We specialize in Gorge property. It will pay you to see us before you buy.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADMINISTRATION ACT

And
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ELIZABETH MARY HARDING, DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Elizabeth Mary Harding, late of Victoria, City, Province of British Columbia, deceased, who died on or about the 9th day of December, 1912, are hereby required to send on or before the 14th day of March, 1913, by post prepaid, or to deliver to the undersigned Solicitors for Miss Anita Thain and Mrs. Fanny Bickford, the executors of the said deceased, their names and addresses and full particulars of their claims and demands and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them duly certified in writing.
Dated at Victoria this 14th day of February, 1913.
YATES & JAY
Of 416-B Central Block, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the Executors, Miss Anita Thain and Mrs. Fanny Bickford.

Motor and Tractor Wanted

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 3 p. m. on Monday, the 17th of March, 1913, for a Motor and Tractor to be attached to the Waterous steam engine at No. 2 Fire Hall. Specifications may be seen at the office of the City Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed and marked on outside of envelope, "Tender for Motor and Tractor." Each tender to be accompanied by a marked cheque for 5 per cent. of the value of the tender and by full descriptive matter and illustrations. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
W. GALT
City Purchasing Agent,
Victoria, B. C., March 5, 1913.

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New Oak Bay Home And Nearly One-third Acre

Two blocks from the sea. This house was built last year. It is fitted with built-in bookcases, beam ceilings, panelled walls, buffet, hardwood floors, furnace, garage, etc. Very best workmanship throughout. The lot is one of the prettiest in the district. Fine oak trees, flower beds, etc.

Price \$17,500

One-third cash, balance to suit.

Simcoe St. Home Six Rooms

Lot 54x150 ft. Between Menzies and Government

\$5,600

One-quarter cash, balance to suit.

One Acre on Quadra St.

Fine, high, dry, splendid view. Covered with bearing trees. City water and electric light, along Quadra. The street is paved to within one block of this subdivision.

\$4,700

One-quarter cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years.

Seaview Avenue Nine Rooms

Furnace, in full size basement, beam ceilings, panelled walls, buffet. Splendid view and close to Hillside avenue cars.

\$6,300

Only \$1500 cash, balance to suit.

BIRTHDAY CALENDAR



IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY

Keep steadily busy with eyes open to future advancement. Social affairs and idle friends will distract you and should not be sought. Games of chance are not favorable to you. Those born to-day will be talented and will rise in life. Their accomplishments will gain them many admirers and friends if they so desire, but they will be inclined to fickleness and will soon tire of all but the unattainable.

TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

One of La Salle's comrades and Hutenants was Father Louis Hennepin, a Flemish friar of the Franciscan order, who, years earlier, when sent to the port of Calais to beg for alms, had been fascinated by the seamen's tales. "Often," he said, "I hid myself behind tavern doors while the sailors were telling of their voyages." At length, to his great delight, he was sent as a missionary to Canada. He made many journeys, of which he wrote lively but not always truthful accounts. In fact, he was "convicted of telling more than travellers' tales," for after La Salle's death he claimed to have descended the Mississippi before his famous leader. He was sent by La Salle, with two Frenchmen, to explore the Upper Mississippi and to trade with the Indians. Many times on their way down the Illinois he and his comrades were in great peril from the savages, and one of the men said: "M. La Salle had as good to have murdered us." One day they were pursued by Indians in wooden canoes, and owed their escape to the lightness of their own birch-bark canoes. On the following day—March 8, 1680—they reached the point where the waters of the Illinois enter the Mississippi.

BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATIONS

TO Bayly, Richard Alexander, LL.B. (London, Ont.); born, London, 1866; legal author and educationalist. Cappon, James M. A. (Kingston, Ont.); born, Dundee, Scotland, 1855; connected with Glasgow University prior to coming to Canada in 1888; now professor of English literature and dean of the faculty of arts of Queen's University. Dufos, John Wesley (Winnipeg); born, Combermere, Ont., 1866; journalist since 1883; now editor in chief of Manitoba Free Press. Harty, Hon. William (Kingston, Ont.); born, Biddulph, Middlesex, 1847; merchant and capitalist. Liberal M. P. for Kingston, 1892-1902; commissioner of public works for Ontario, 1899-1902; Liberal M. P. for Kingston, 1902-1911. Neelands, Thomas Fletcher (Vancouver); born, Ottawa, 1862; company director and fraternalist; an ex-mayor of Vancouver. Nelson, John (Vancouver); born, Paisley, Ont., 1873; for many years connected with Victoria Times; now managing director of Vancouver News-Advertiser. Rainville, Joseph Hornblower, LL.B., M. P. (Montreal); born, Ste. Angèle, Rouville, 1875; Conservative M. P. for Chamby-Verechere. Scott, D'Arcy, K. C. (Ottawa); born, Ottawa, 1872; mayor of Ottawa, 1907-1910; now assistant chief commissioner of Dominion railway commission. Everett Shinn, whose paintings of ballet girls have made him well-known said at a dinner in New York: "Very few artists can draw a horse, yet any horse can draw an artist, and by the same token, few artists can paint a ballet girl, yet any ballet girl can paint herself."—New York Press. In one week more over 2,000,000 people bathed in the waters of the Ganges in India, where they meet at the Holy City of Allahabad.

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105 Acres with large frontage on Inner Sooke Harbor. 1-3 cash, balance 1 and 2 years. Price per acre\$105

Corner Lot Inside City Limits, approximately 55x52, suitable for store site. 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Price\$2700

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Beautiful Building Lot, well situated. Prices up from\$2,500

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

1912 H. No. 7. Between Robert Henry Hawkins, Petitioner, and Alice Martha Hawkins, Respondent, and Joseph Lafortune, Junior, Co-respondent. To Alice Martha Hawkins, late of Cobble Hill, B. C.

Take Notice that a citation has been issued in this Court citing you to appear and answer the petition of Robert Henry Hawkins, praying for a dissolution of his marriage with you wherein he alleges that you have committed adultery. In default of your appearing and answering you will not be allowed to address the Court, and the Court will proceed to hear the said petition proved and pronounce sentence in respect thereof.

And further take notice that for the purposes aforesaid you are, on or before the 2nd day of April, 1913, next, to enter an appearance and file and answer at the Supreme Court Registry, Victoria, B. C. Dated the 14th day of February, 1913. B. H. TYRWHITT DRAKE, Registrar.

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LEONARD C. MILLS, 111 Pemberton Block, Victoria, B. C. Solicitor for the Petitioner.

NOTICE. Sealed tenders will be received by the Sidney Water and Power Company, Limited, up to and including the 14th day of March, 1913, for the installation of a water supply for the town of Sidney, including the supplying and erecting two 36,000 gallon redwood water tanks, and foundations, excavating and backfilling ditches, supplying and laying wire wound wood water pipes, fittings, etc.

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INLET AVE., The Gorge—48 x 155, partly fenced\$950

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Every one of these lots is a snap. Easy terms can be arranged.

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Oak Bay Ave. and St. Patrick, 120x100, at, per foot\$120

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Burns and Chaucer, 100x102; 1/4 cash, at\$4,500

NAVIGABLE WATER PROTECTION ACT.

NOTICE is hereby given that Joseph E. Wilson and James S. Yates, both of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia (trustees of the Erb Estate), are applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of the works proposed to be constructed in Lima Bay, Victoria Harbor, Victoria, British Columbia, being land situated, lying and being in Victoria City aforesaid, and known and numbered and described as Lot Four (4) and part of Lot Five (5), Plan 50, Lima Bay, Victoria West, and have deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and description thereof with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar-General of Titles at the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the matter will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1913. JOSEPH E. WILSON and JAMES S. YATES, (Trustees of the Erb Estate), By their Solicitors, Messrs. Robertson & Heisterman, 511 Fort Street, Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE. Thirty days from date I will make application to the Honorable Commissioners of the Municipality of Esquimalt for a transfer of my license for the Harbour Hotel, Esquimalt, from myself to Peter Storvik. JOSEPH HALL, Esquimalt, B. C., March 10, 1913.

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PREPARING FOR THE CIVIC ESTIMATES

Start Will at Length Be Made
on Appropriations
for the Year

APPLICATION FOR CELEBRATION GRANT

Mutual Arrangement With Oak
Bay as to Use of
Sewers

The estimates of the city's various
departmental services will receive the
consideration of the aldermen on Fri-
day, and copies will be meanwhile dis-
tributed among the members.

To this committee will go the appli-
cation of the Victoria Day celebration
committee for \$3,000 for the celebration
of the holiday.

An assistant matron at the Isolation
hospital is wanted, but her salary is
not provided for in the health depart-
ment estimates, so this subject will
also go to the same committee.

In view of the recommendation of the
civic investigation committee last
spring for assistance in aiding the
building inspector, a letter from George
Jewes asking to be considered when
the appointment of assistant inspector
is weighed also goes to the committee.

Joint Use of Sewers.

A joint meeting of the councils of
the city and municipality of Oak Bay
will be held to arrange for connection
between sewers in each district, and
to adopt a mutual agreement accept-
able to both parties. The subject came
up in an application from Oak Bay to
connect the sewers on Oak Bay avenue,
Granite street, Cowan avenue, Runny-
mede avenue and Crescent road with
the city's system.

Alderman Gleason urged, when a bill

came in from the same municipality,
for half cost of work done on the Wil-
lows road leading to the exhibition that
in future the city should refuse to pay
any such amounts unless the outside
municipality doing the work first sub-
mitted an estimate of the cost of the
city. This would give the city engineer
an opportunity of ascertaining whether
the cost was a proper one or not. Fre-
quent disputes have arisen through
neglect of this course.

Causeway Convenience.
In the absence from the city of R.
D. Horton, his partner has promised
to respect the city's suggestions with
regard to damage to the public con-
venience at the junction of Government
street and Wharf street through blast-
ing operations at the Albion Trust site
adjacent.

City Solicitor Robertson has written
threatening action for damages, and
an injunction to restrain building oper-
ations until the damage has been paid
for.

Complaint on Tenders.
The committee on tenders will con-
sider the complaint of Balfour, Guth-
rie & Company against letting the con-
tract for steel pipe to J. H. Rickaby,
the company's tender being lower. A
reason is asked why the usual course
is being departed from by the council.

In view of the fact that the city is
now installing all sewer, surface drain
and water connections on the streets
between the mains and the property
lines, fifteen plumbers addressed the
city council, asking that the surety
bond of \$500 required by the plumbing
by-law be abrogated. The request will
receive attention.

In this connection Mayor Morley
mentioned that there were two classes
of inspection which ought to be divid-
ed. Sanitary plumbing inspection
should be under the health department,
and mechanical matters under the
works department. The aldermen
should take into consideration the
future of the plumbing inspectors' office.

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EXPROPRIATIONS PROVE COSTLY ITEM

Return is Presented to City
Council on the Sooke
Arbitrations

FIRST ACTUAL TOTAL KNOWN TO PUBLIC

Officials Estimate \$700,000
Will Be Required, Including
Sooke Watershed Cost

A very important return showing the
actual cost of expropriations in connec-
tion with Sooke waterworks reached
the city council last evening. It indi-
cates that the estimates of expendi-
ture to date in this regard have been
much exceeded owing to the demands
of landowners.

The return was presented by the
water commissioner, city controller,
and city solicitor, and showed that
\$246,000 has been paid for land, the
sum of \$460,000 remaining to be paid,
including the cost of the Sooke water-
shed, but no value has yet been set to
the 17,000 acres belonging to the Esqui-
malt & Nanaimo railway in the Leach
river watershed.

Sooke Watershed.

The return stated:
"The land agent of the E. & N. Rail-
way Company submitted to the council
of last year a price at which 14,519
acres of land, included in this water-
shed, could be purchased, namely, \$394,
089.50. This letter was referred to the
city solicitor, city controller and my-
self for report, for particulars as to
the amount of money already expended
in the purchase of lands connected with

the watershed and right-of-way, and
estimate of the cost of the amount re-
quired to acquire the remaining por-
tions of the watershed necessary, in-
cluding that of Leach river, and what
amount it will take to settle claims for
the right-of-way remaining to be pur-
chased. In compliance with the above
we beg to report as follows:

"The land paid for at Sooke lake
amounts to \$218,002.70. The amount
unpaid is \$35,000.

"Amount to be paid the E. & N. Rail-
way Company for their watershed at
Sooke lake, \$904,089.50.

"The amount to be paid for the Leach
river watershed has not yet been as-
certained, but it comprises about 17,000
acres.

"For the right-of-way on the flowline
from Sooke lake to Humpback about
27.32 acres of land will be required, of
which 60.48 acres have been paid for,
involving an expenditure of \$5,990, leav-
ing unpurchased \$266.94 acres. Estimat-
ing the cost at \$250 an acre makes
\$40,025.

Cost to Date.

"At Humpback reservoir we have
paid \$19,363.90, leaving unpaid \$37,-
186.20. Land not yet purchased, 217.27
acres at \$125 an acre, equals \$27,000.

This estimate is very approximate.
"On the pressure pipe line 13.87 acres
of land will be required. Very little
of this has yet been purchased, and it
is very difficult to estimate the cost.
It may amount to \$15,000.

"Records show that up to the present
time there has been paid for land \$246,-
321.50, leaving unpaid, say, \$460,000.

This latter estimate is very approxi-
mate, as our experience has been it is
very difficult to estimate upon land
values, in connection with this work.
"Another communication has been re-
ceived from the land agent of the E. &
N. Railway Company in reference to
their previous letter of the 26th of De-
cember, and we would recommend that
arrangements be made at once with the
E. & N. Railway Company for the land
required for the Sooke watershed, the
cost of which, taking the company's es-
timate, is \$394,089.50."

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English; brown, imitation Spanish leather,
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Genuine quarter-cut oak, golden velvet
cover \$46.00
Genuine oak, golden velvet color, for
\$25.00. A marvel for the money.
Fumed oak Settee, loose brown Spanish
leather cushions, 6 ft. 6 in. over all,
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The leading features of the Directors' Report for 1912, as presented to the Annual
Meeting of the Company, held in Montreal, March 4th, 1913, are as follows:

ASSETS as at 31st December, 1912	\$49,605,616.49
Increase over 1911	5,704,730.51
CASH INCOME from Premiums, Interest, Rents, etc., in 1912	12,333,081.60
Increase over 1911	1,775,746.08
PROFITS PAID to policyholders entitled to participate in 1912.	691,975.84
ADDED TO SURPLUS during 1912	614,008.09
TOTAL SURPLUS 31st December, 1912, over all liabilities and capital, (according to the Company's Standard, viz., for assurances, the Om. (5) Table, with 3 1/2 and 3 per cent. interest, and, for annuities, the B. O. Select Annuity Tables, with 3 1/2 per cent. interest).	5,331,081.82
DEATH CLAIMS, Matured Endowments, Profits, etc., during 1912	4,732,463.29
PAYMENTS to policyholders since organization	34,402,734.66
NEW BUSINESS (paid for in cash) during 1912	30,814,409.64
Increase over 1911	4,377,628.45
ASSURANCES IN FORCE 31st December, 1912	182,732,420.00
Increase over 1911	18,160,347.00

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YEAR	INCOME	ASSETS	LIFE ASSURANCES IN FORCE
1872	\$ 48,210.93	\$ 96,461.95	\$ 1,064,350.00
1892	1,108,680.43	3,403,700.88	23,901,047.00
1902	3,561,509.34	13,480,272.88	67,181,602.00
1912	12,333,081.60	49,605,616.49	182,732,420.00

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JOHN WILSON, architect, 21 Pemberton Block, Victoria, B. C. P. O. Box 306, Phone 1273. Res. Phone 541.

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RESERVE QUESTION IS BEFORE COUNCIL

Mayor Morley Intends to Put City's Case Before Premier

DRAFT LETTER IS READ TO COUNCIL

Will Be Considered Before Communication is Forwarded

At the meeting of the city council last evening Mayor Morley submitted a draft letter regarding the Songhees reserve, which will be addressed to the premier, Sir Richard McBride, after further consideration by the council which will be given to it before Monday night.

Alderman Cuthbert did not like the wording, and thought it should be re-drafted, and the mayor expressed his willingness to adopt the suggestion.

Alderman Fullerton thought the solicitor should be consulted on the legal aspect of the city's case.

Mayor Morley's letter suggested that as the reserve had come under the jurisdiction of the city, and as with that jurisdiction came the right to regulate any matters regarding new changes, or changes due to old developments being modified, and as assuming that the provincial government owning land stood in the same relation.

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